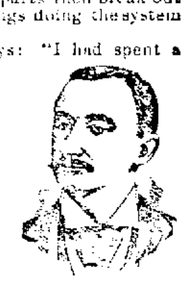
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Wm. Hersh,

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WM. MCCLEAN, Late Prest. Judge. WM. ARCH. MCCLEAN.

Wm. & Wm. Arch McClean,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Offices—West side of Baltimore street, third door from Centre Square. Jan. 8, 1895. tf

J. L. Kendlehart,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, lately practicing in Philadelphia, has removed to Gettysburg and resumed practice in the several Courts of Adams county. Office on Baltimore street, opposite the Court-house, in the rooms recently occupied by Hon. S. McC. Swope. All legal business promptly and carefully attended to. Jan. 29, 1895. tf

Wm. P. Quimby,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, Adams co., Pa. (Formerly with Judge Wills) Office on Chambersburg street, next to Buehler's Drug Store. July 19, '87. tf

Wm. McSherry, Jr.,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, Adams co., Pa. Will carefully and promptly attend to all legal business entrusted to him. Office opposite the Court-house. Dec. 5, 1894. tf

S. S. Neely,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Office on York street, next door to Gettysburg National Bank. June 5, 1894. tf

J. L. Butt,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Collections and all legal business promptly attended to. Office on Baltimore street, second floor of Spangler Building. Feb. 5, '95. tf

Edward A. Weaver,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Office over Amos Eckert's store, northeast corner of the Square, Gettysburg, Pa. Will carefully and promptly attend to all business entrusted to him. Feb. 15, '97. tf

J. L. Williams,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Collections and all legal business promptly attended to. Office on Baltimore street, first square, in Spangler building. May 24, 1892. tf

JOHN E. M'PHERSON. DONALD P. M'PHERSON.

McPherson & McPherson,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Office second story *Star and Sentinel* Building. Will promptly attend to all legal business entrusted to them. Feb. 11, '96. tf

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Dr. F. C. Wolf,

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Menallen Twp. Road Account.

ACCOUNT of THOS. WENK, Supervisor of Menallen township:

DR.

Amount of duplicate	$1356 [illegible]
Balance due duplicate [illegible]	122 [illegible]
	$1488 [illegible]

CR.

Amount of work done	$787 [illegible]
Lumber	[illegible]
Dynamite	[illegible]
Hardware	[illegible]
Blacksmith's bill	[illegible]
Trees planted	[illegible]
Broad-tired wagons used	[illegible]
Supervisor's wages, 158 days	[illegible]
Watering troughs used	[illegible]
Interest and note	[illegible]
Exonerations	[illegible]
From former Supervisor or tax	[illegible]
Paid new Supervisors	[illegible]
Balance due township	2[illegible]
	$1489 2[illegible]

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Menallen township, certify that we have, this [illegible] day of March, audited the above account and find it correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

F. A. ASPER,
J. M. KLINE,
E. G. BITTINGER,
Auditors.

Account of HOWARD [illegible] WITT, Supervisor of Menallen township:

DR.

Amount of duplicate	$1258 81
Old iron sold	[illegible]
	$12[illegible] 81

CR.

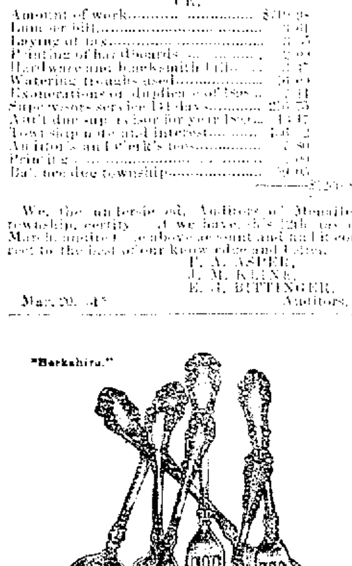
Amount of work	$[illegible]
Lumber bill	[illegible]
Laying of tax	[illegible]
Printing of bar'd boards	[illegible]
Hardware and blacksmith bills	[illegible]
Watering troughs used	[illegible]
Exonerations or duplicate of 1898	[illegible]
Supervisor's service 1[illegible] days	[illegible]
Am't due supervisor for year 1898	[illegible]
Township note and interest	[illegible]
Auditor's and Clerk's fees	[illegible]
Printing	[illegible]
Balance due township	[illegible]
	$12[illegible] 81

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Menallen township, certify that we have, this 12th day of March, audited the above account and find it correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

F. A. ASPER,
J. M. KLINE,
E. G. BITTINGER,
Auditors.

Mar. 20. 4t*

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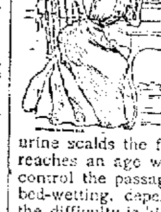
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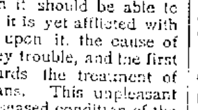
Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.



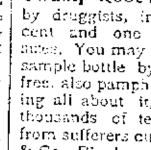
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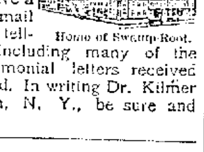
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Sept. 12, 1899. tf

Straban Twp. Road Account.

ACCOUNT of F. N. MILLER, Supervisor of Straban township, from March 13, 1899, to March 12, 1900:

Tax rate, 2½ mills on the dollar of valuation for road purposes.

DR.

Amount of duplicate	$678 50
Amount of special	188 90
Due F. N. Miller, Supervisor	40 30
	$1157 70

CR.

Amount of work done	$594 31
Exonerations on road and special	8 28
Paid for material	79 51
Supervisor's pay	150 78
Clerk's fee	1 00
Auditor's fee	3 00
Expenses of settlement	2 92
Clerk of Court's fee	25
Percentage on special	28 79
Percentage on road	10 20
Publishing account	2 00
Work unsettled from 1898	4 95
Debt of twp. at last settlement	279 08
	$1157 70

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Straban township, Adams county, Pa., have examined the above account and find it correct.

J. C. LEIVELSBERGER,
J. E. AMSPACHER,
L. D. SOWERS,
Auditors.

C. E. STALLSMITH, Clerk.

Account of WM. D. BROWN, Supervisor of Straban township, from March 13, 1899, to March 12, 1900:

Tax rate, 2½ mills on the dollar of valuation for road purposes.

DR.

Amount of duplicate	$925 63
Amount of special	602 47
Debt of twp. loan	230 00
Due Wm. D. Brown, Supervisor	67 15
	$1824 25

CR.

Amount of work done	$801 49
Exonerations on road and special	19 77
Paid for material	101 23
Supervisor's pay	168 00
Clerk's pay	1 00
Auditor's pay	3 00
Expenses of settlement	2 93
Percentage on special	29 70
Percentage on road	11 65
Interest paid on loan	14 18
Publishing account	2 00
Twp. debt at last settlement	559 90
	$1824 85

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Straban township, Adams county, Pa., have examined the above account and find it correct.

J. C. LEIVELSBERGER,
J. E. AMSPACHER,
L. D. SOWERS,
Auditors.

C. E. STALLSMITH, Clerk. Mar. 20. 3t*

The Compiler.

Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday, April 3, 1900.

DEMOCRATIC REORGANIZATION.

The gentlemen named by Colonel Guffey to confer with the Ryan-Donnelly committee in Philadelphia as to the means of Democratic reorganization are competent, experienced and thoroughly well known Democrats whose party standing and reputation do not admit of question. They have no taint of faction or self-seeking about them. Being men of character and judgment they will compel the confidence of all who are willing to do right.

It would be a most graceful and judicious act upon the part of the representatives of the Democratic city organization if they should agree to put the subject matter of conference entirely at the disposition of the gentlemen named by Colonel Guffey, and further agree to adopt whatever recommendation those gentlemen might decide upon.

There is material at hand for rebuilding the Democratic organization in Philadelphia upon such lines as would secure a renewal of the public confidence and make it what it should be—an always ready rallying centre about which to gather the friends of good government.

Suppose that the task of reorganization should be laid by the party upon the capable shoulders of some such young and vigorous Democrat as James M. Beck, and that there should be gathered to his aid a City Committee of like reputation and brains; who could doubt but that new life and vigor would instantly leap up to answer such an appeal? There are thousands of Democrats in Philadelphia who are waiting wearily but hopefully for the day of regeneration.—*Phila. Record.*

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The sixth annual convention of the Cumberland County Christian Endeavor met at Carlisle recently in the First Evangelical Church, with more than 200 delegates present. These officers were elected: President, Rev. H. B. Stock, Carlisle; vice president, J. W. Strohw, Newville; corresponding secretary, Miss L. Jackson, Carlisle; treasurer, A. G. Richwien, Mechanicsburg; superintendent junior work, Mrs. Annie K. Slangenhaupt, Newville; directors, H. M. Augh, Shippensburg; Walter Eckels, Mechanicsburg; Rev. R. W. Mattern, Mt. Holly; J. Raymond Hemminger, Carlisle, and Harry Shullenberger, Newville.

The honors for the commencement at Wilson College for women, at Chambersburg, to be held next June, have been announced. They are as follows: Valedictory, Miss Agnes Patterson, Allegheny; Greek oration, Miss Anna Anderson, York; decate, Miss Laura Shaw, Wellsboro; Miss Florence Robinson, Troy, Pa.; salutatory, Miss Alice D. Ross, Clarion; special essays, Miss Amelia Mathews, Cambridge Ohio; Miss Mary Robinson, Clarion; Miss Pauline Cope, Easton.

In many boroughs of Pennsylvania the councilmen draw nominal salaries each year. At Connellsville, for instance, the pay is $25 per annum. The solicitor of Fallston borough, Beaver county, however, has called a halt. The legislators of that town made it a custom of allowing themselves every meeting night twenty-five cents each. Then they advanced the rate to fifty cents, when the solicitor gave notice that councilmen cannot legally take any compensation.

The U. S. Postoffice Department is preparing to place warnings against the game of counterfeit money peddlers, or "green goods" men, in every one of the 75,000 postoffices in the country.

The bill to abolish the office of State Fire Marshall was reported unfavorably in the lower house of the Maryland Legislature recently.

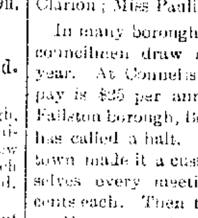
Liberty Hose Co. of North York, organized less than a year ago, intends erecting a $5,500 engine house.

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Of childhood untroubled by care!
There are dollies and sweet-meats galore,
And never a soul to restrain
By saying "you cannot have more,"
In those beautiful "Castles in Spain."

In the castles of maidenhood's dreams,
The fairest of visions dwell,
Of music and books and sunbeams,
And handsome young lovers who tell
Each other the story so old—
Yet always so new told again,
Of love that shall never grow cold,
In those beautiful "Castles in Spain."

Young motherhood's dreams just as tender,
For the dear life she clasps to her breast,
Find expression in castles of splendor,
With honor the principal guest—
Where never the shadow of wrong
Her loved ones escutcheon shall stain,
But honest and valiant and strong,
He shall dwell in her "Castles in Spain."

Oh! how those bright visions relieve
The hum-drum, or sadness of life,
And sweeten the sorrows that grieve
The hearts of those vanquished in strife
With the world, where only those win
Who are deaf to the moanings of pain—
God help those so sodden within
That they cannot build "Castles in Spain."

WINNIFRED D'ESTOURTE SACKVILLE STONER.

[The writer is the wife of Dr. James B. Stoner, formerly of this county, now of Buffalo, N. Y.]

THEY GOT TOGETHER.

BY ANNIE M. BURKE.

MABEL sat upon a pumpkin with her hands clasped on her knee. The ground about her was dotted with the yellow fruit and strewn with its withered vines. Mabel, however, was not looking at the pumpkins or noticing them at all. She was gazing at some mules collected in a pasture-field that lay just before her.

The public highway ran along right behind her with only a board fence between, and every now and then a buggy or roadcart ran past, but she paid no attention to them. Pretty soon, though, a noisy lumber-wagon came thundering along. It was one of those vehicles known as a "hog-wagon," and it had a three-board fence all around the top. It was near sunset in the afternoon, so the wagon had delivered its load of hogs in town and was now empty and homeward bound. The man in the wagon was whistling joyously and driving his old farm horses very fast.

When he approached Mabel he stopped whistling and slowed up his horses somewhat. After going a little further he turned the team in at a post, tied them carelessly, then went over near the girl and threw himself against the fence.

"Surveyin' the mules, Mabel?" the young man asked, carelessly.

"Yes," said she, briefly.

"They're a bad lot—a bad lot for your father to have on his hands this way!" he remarked next.

Mabel made no reply to this.

"Fact is, Mabel, your folks are too much given to experimenting," he went on, audaciously. "They think they've got to be progressive and—and—enterprising, and take to every new theory that comes along, and think they're going to get rich, but they're liable to get taken in like they did with these." And Larry nodded toward the mules.

Mabel turned her head and gave him an indignant stare. "Father thought there would be a good market for them in St. Louis," she said with asperity. "He had good reason for thinking so, too. Then he took the whole carload of mules in the first place in trade for western land. That was all right; for the western land was worth nothing at all and it seemed like a good bargain—"

"Oh, yes, it *seemed* all right, I don't doubt," put in Larry. "All these new experiments *seem* good, and they sound well when you come to put 'em in practice—that's when you run against the stump!"

Mabel had turned her face away again. "It's just as I say, Mabel," he began deliberately, "your folks are too progressive, too much given to experimenting. Now, take that irrigating business of your father's that fell through last year. Irrigating may be all right out west or somewhere where they have things fixed for it, but when you see an Illinois farmer setting up a windmill to irrigate his cornfield—"

"Irrigating with a windmill is all right," cried Mabel, getting excited. "There are people that have succeeded at it. Father says so! And it can be done. The idea is all right. Father's failed because — because — the well wasn't deep enough, or something—I forgot just what. But it *can* be done. —You *can* irrigate with a windmill!"

"Yes, a cabbage patch," said Larry. "But a forty-acre cornfield—that's another thing. Your father'd read about it, I guess—he's always reading something or other—then he laid out the money on it, and it fell through. It may be all right to try new ideas and find out things, but if a fellow's only got eighty acres he can't afford to make an experiment station out of it."

Larry uttered these reflection on her father with perfect composure, and when he had finished, looked up in her face with great innocence. Mabel had left her seat near him and was confronting him with angry eyes a rod away. Larry was not alarmed. He and Mabel were very used to each other, and they had been over this subject before. Also his family and hers had been over it many times together and had quarrelled over it good-naturedly and had laughed and disputed it together, and had gone on being the very best of friends all the while.

"I guess my father is as well off as yours is if he is given to experimenting!" she said, hotly. "You're working along in the old tracks farmer's were in fifty years ago! Father says so! When you went to cut down the bank of that big slough you were ditching last spring you used spades and shovels and worked three weeks, and father said if you'd taken one of these big new road-graders and some horses you could have done it in a few days!"

Larry took this scathing harangue on his modes of work with perfect good-nature. Mabel's temper necessarily cooled somewhat. She went over to the fence and seated herself on the top board, leaning against a post.

Larry turned his face toward her. "We may be a little too—too—what you call unprogressive," he owned; "but you'll have to admit, Mabel, that it's better than being too much the other way."

Mabel had an answer ready for this and her large dark eyes flashed with the triumph of it before she uttered it.

"You are no richer than we are then!—not one bit!" she cried. "Your taxes were the same as ours last winter—almost exactly the same! I remember hearing folks laugh about it. Ours were eighty-seven dollars, and yours were eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents! So now!"

"Oh, well," said Larry, reasonably, "anyone can see why we're not well off —with so many girls in the family. Five girls nearly all grown up, and only one boy. Nobody could be rich fixed like that."

"The girls! The girls, indeed!" exclaimed Mabel, indignantly. "To blame them for it! It's just like you!"

"Now, Mabel," insisted Larry, "there is no denying that a lot of extravagant girls in a family will keep a man down."

Mabel shut her lips tightly and looked across the pumpkin patch as if this last argument was too contemptible to be answered. Larry watched her awhile, then his merry eyes twinkled daringly.

"Oh, I don't say all girls are that way," he assured her. "There are some girls, now—the fellow that gets one of them is in luck, too. Take for instance, the girl that's interested enough in the farming to go out on a raw November day and sit on a pumpkin for an hour watching a crowd of worthless old mules and wondering what's to be done with them. Now, that kind of a girl, I say is worth—"

But Larry got no further. Mabel suddenly jumped down from the fence and started away for the house with the severest of expressions on her face. He stood there and watched her till she disappeared some distance away in a maple grove, in the midst of which a white house nestled. He then went back to his hog-wagon, climbed in and proceeded homeward.

That day on which Mabel and Larry quarrelled in the pumpkin patch was, as it happened, the last one of the mild fall weather. Winter set in immediately with the greatest fury, and the snow fell thick. Larry hastened through the rest of his corn-picking with all dispatch. Then, when that was finished, there was coal to haul, and after that some straw-hauling to do. Later on, after the holidays, he took a job of ice-cutting at a fish-pond in the neighborhood where most of the farmers got their ice-houses supplied. The work was hard, but the pay was next to harvest wages, and Larry was not afraid of exercise. Then, on near the end of January, when everything seemed to be done, the annual farmers' institute was held in the county seat.

It was on the afternoon of the second day of these institute meetings that Larry curried and brushed his favorite horse with the greatest care; then proceeded to harness him and hitch him to the sleigh. He was going to the institute. It was not his wont nor his father's to attend these annual meetings, but he knew Mabel would be there. She always went, and her whole family.

It was late when he reached the town, and the afternoon meeting was well begun when he entered the hall where the institutes were held. There were several rows in the back half of the room that were but sparingly filled. In one of these seats Larry discovered Mabel. He immediately started down the aisle for this seat and sat down beside her. She gave him a cold stare, then went on listening to the speaker. But Larry's courage was equal to this also. He unbuttoned his overcoat, turned down the collar, made himself comfortable generally, and then began looking about to see who all were present.

They sat together thus for some time, then suddenly the speaker began saying some things that made them both prick up their ears and listen intently.

For the farmer who was always after new ideas, who was always rushing ahead of common-sense, the speaker had nothing but condemnation. The man whose head was ever in a whirl of theories, whose work consisted chiefly of experiments along new lines and whose directions for farming were taken from what he read—this man was bound to be a failure. "If a man has only a small farm he can't afford to make an experiment station of it."

Larry was bursting with triumph, so to speak. He could not talk to Mabel, for she would whisper with no one in a meeting of any kind, but he nudged her constantly.

But the speaker had suddenly veered around and was now talking on the other side. There was another kind of farmer, he said. One who clung to old methods and old ways and old implements just because his forefathers used such, who was prejudiced against all things new, no matter how good they might be, merely because they were new, who was inclined to regard all printed matter on the subject of agriculture as unpractical. This style of farmer, the speaker proceeded to say, might as well die at once.

Mabel was not given to nudgings, but she turned and gave Larry some expressive looks which as much as said: "There, did you hear that?"

But both significant glances and nudges were stopped suddenly, for the man went on to tell them that one extreme was as far wrong as the other. There was a medium. The farmer must be both enterprising and practical. He must not be too cowardly to experiment a little, but neither must he be wholly given up to it. And he must not be slow and stupid about accepting the successful experiments of others.

As they were going down the aisle a group of girls stopped Mabel and began talking with her. A little later some young men they knew approached also. Whether or not any of these young men had designs on Mabel for the home drive Larry did not know, but he promptly releived himself of anxiety on the subject by whispering in her ear, "Can I see you home, Mabel?" Mabel said "Yes" with a scornful curve of her lip. She usually said yes to Larry in this way—as if she despised him; yet, be it remarked, she always said "yes" and never "no" when he asked for her company. Their mates were wont to say that Mabel treated Larry the worst and liked him the best of all the boys of her acquaintance.

A little later they were skimming along homeward over the snow.

"Seems to me, Mabel," Larry remarked, as they sped along,—"seems to me that fellow described our two cases pretty well. He said exactly some of the same things I said to you on the subject, and said some of the things you've said to me. I think he must have overheard us talking some time—listened to us quarreling, maybe."

Mabel smiled faintly for answer to this, then Larry went on: "He said it was just as bad to be too enterprising as it was to be unprogressive. He said there was a medium we ought to strike.

And now, Mabel, I'm willing to admit that I'm too much one way if you admit you're too much the other. I'll own up that we ought both of us to strike a medium if you'll own up, too!"

Mabel did her owning up very reluctantly.

"I don't see what we are to do, the pair of us," said Larry by and by. "I'm unprogressive and you're too enterprising."

Mabel smiled faintly again for answer and Larry continued, "there's one way we might fix it, though." He paused a moment and looked doubtfully at her. For once he was a little bit afraid. "We might undertake to—farm together—get married, you know. You could furnish the enterprise and I could furnish the caution and the prejudice against new things. Should think we could run things about right—hit the medium exactly that way."

The young man waited rather nervously for her to speak, and his merry eyes had an odd expression of anxiety in them. He was afraid Mabel was going to say no. Then suddenly he felt sure she would not say no to him. It wasn't in old Mabel to hurt him so—him who had played with her when she was little, who had taken care of her at school and who had sat on the floor and looked at pictures with her when she was four years old. No, he was almost certain she could not refuse him. So, without waiting for her to speak, he put his arm round her and kissed her frost-cold cheek.

Mabel did not say "yes, I will," "I love you," or anything else, but she did not get angry or draw away, so Larry knew he was accepted. It was her way.

He was as simple as a child over his happiness. He kissed her hands, patted her shoulder and pressed his cheek against her muff, while Mabel sat there looking down. Once, though, he betrayed her into looking up, and was shocked to see that there were tears in her eyes. He was deeply thoughtful for a few moments; then a resolution formed itself within him. It was that he would try to be very wise and good. In his farm management, in his social life, in every way—in his thoughts even—for Mabel's sake he would of all things try to be true and good.

PUERTO RICAN NEEDS.

FACTS CONNECTED WITH THE ISLAND—POPULATION, EDUCATION, ETC.

When Puerto Rico was ceded to the United States, we took over with it the responsibility of providing a government for the people of the Island; and the problem of how to raise the money for this purpose was presented to the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives. After a careful investigation of the subject, Gen. Davis, the present Military Governor, has estimated that the expenditures for the next fiscal year, to administer the affairs of the Island, will aggregate $1,513,678.71. Of this amount he proposes to use $300,000 for the construction of school-houses and in the establishment of schools, and $300,000 for the the construction and improvement of highways. The balance is to be used in defraying the expenses of civil government.

To start Puerto Rico on the way to progress is not an easy matter, and will involve the outlay of considerable money. While the soil is rich and productive, the people on the whole are not prosperous. The total population, at the present time is estimated at 1,000,000 souls—623,000 whites, 300,000 mulattoes, and 80,000 full-blooded negroes. As the superficial area of the Island is estimated at 3,150 to 3,860 square miles, Puerto Rico is clearly one of the most densely populated portions of the globe. One-third of the population is made up of paupers, and the great majority of the people are dependent upon their daily wages for support. The wages of the common field hands range from thirty-five to fifty cents a day, native money; *i. e.*, from twenty-one to thirty cents a day, American money.

Of the total population of Puerto Rico not more than 12½ per cent. can read and write the Spanish language, and less than one-tenth of 1 per cent. can read and write the English language. Prior to the cession of Puerto Rico to the United States, not a single building was ever constructed as a schoolhouse. Under the Spanish rule, there were excuses for schools at various places, but they were in rented buildings, and the schools were conducted in a manner that made them of little benefit to the people.

To make matters worse, this beautiful Island was visited, on August 8, 1899, by a tropical terror, which was particularly destructive on the eastern and southern coasts, and in the interior. Yabucoa was made a heap of ruins; the old port and town of Arroyo were practically destroyed; and great damage was done at Ponce. The coffee and cane crops were greatly damaged, and in some ports of the island entirely ruined. Between 2,000 and 3,000 persons lost their lives, and a great deal of the live stock was destroyed. The great damage caused by this hurricane seriously impaired the ability of the Puerto Ricans to raise the revenue required to defray expenses of the government, either by direct taxation or otherwise.—"The Puerto Rican Bill," by HON. ALBERT J. HOPKINS in the *April Forum.*

FIRST BOY—"My pop's sick."

Second boy—"What's the matter with 'im?"

First Boy—"The doctor says he's got two buckles on his lungs."—*Phila. Record.*

MRS. DE SILKE—I wish to give a memorial of some kind to the church in memory of a relative. What would you suggest?

Struggling pastor—A—er—an appropriately decorated—er—new church furnace, madam, and a—a few tons of coal. —*New York Weekly.*

Still More Counterfeiting.

The Secret Service has unearthed another band of counterfeiters and secured a large quantity of bogus bills, which are so cleverly executed that the average person would never suspect them of being spurious. Things of great value are always selected by counterfeiters for imitation, notably the celebrated Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has many imitators but no equals for indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, nervousness and general debility. The Bitters sets things right in the stomach, and when the stomach is in good order it makes good blood and plenty of it. In this manner the Bitters get at the seat of strength and vitality, and restore vigor to the weak and debilitated. Beware of counterfeits when buying.

WILLIAM I.

(In Two Acts.)

Act I. Time—December, 1899.

King William—Have the automatons responded?

Lord Little Breeches—They await without.

King William—Bid them enter. (Enter Republican Congress.) Ho, varlets, listen to my command.

Republican Congress—We hearken to your Majesty.

King William—Go pass me a free trade bill for Puerto Rico. Destroy the vile conspiracy called protection, which feeds the rich and starves the poor.

Lord Little Breeches—Hail to the King!

Republican Congress—Hail to his gracious Majesty!

King William—Begone, and to your task. I lift you duty, destiny and the uplifting of the flag. Who dares lower the flag by refusing free trade to Puerto Rico? (Exit Republican Congress.)

Lord Little Breeches—Yea, verily, sublime Majesty.

Act II. Time—February, 1900.

King William—How long will these caitiffs keep me waiting?

Lord Little Breeches—They come, your Majesty.

(Enter Republican Congress.)

King William—Presumptuous varlets, they tell me you have proposed free trade for Puerto Rico. How dare you?

Republican Congress—Your Majesty did command us do the thing.

Lord Little Breeches—Lord, how Congressmen are given to lying!

King William—Silence all! Your duty is to watch the White House Weather Vane and keep up with it. Nine times a day I veer me the whole horizon around. Free trade, indeed! What traitor dares thus pull down the flag? Absquatulate!—WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE, JR., in *Memphis Vergonia.*

ZADOC TIRRELL'S SHIFTLESSNESS.

"YOU'RE a dreadful shiftless man, Zadoc Tirrell, if you are my husband, and you're getting more shiftless every day of your life, 'n' some day I don't know what'll happen."

Mrs. Tirrell spoke with considerable asperity as she halted in the doorway and her nervous eyes scanned the disordered room. Zadoc, in his shirt sleeves, sat comfortably reading, surrounded by the pages of a Sunday paper dropped in chaos about him. His shoes were off. One had been kicked in the farthest corner, the other lay on its side under a table. A pitcher of sweetened water stood on the table at his elbow, but the glass from which he had drunk was in an unsteady position on the seat of a hair-cloth chair, while on another stood a plate of cookies.

"I just wish you could see yourself!" she went on, coming into the room with an energetic movement that caused him to draw his feet up hastily as she rescued the tumbler, placed a sheet of paper under the pitcher, and began to pick up the papers. "You're a sight to behold, Zadoc Tirrell." She creased the papers precisely, arranged them according to order, and placed them in a little pile on the table.

He watched her movements complacently. "I expect I fret you considerable, don't I, Serissa?" he queried. "I'm dreadful sorry, but somehow I can't seem to help it. I suppose I'm a pretty poor stick of a husband, and I wish I was better."

The almost childlike smile on his face passed unheeded. "You are a dreadful trial," she confessed. "If I wa'n't so fond of you I'd be thinking I'd made a pretty poor bargain when I married you, Zadoc; but somehow—" Here she stopped.

"I'll warrant you 'ain't mended that north pasture fence yet," she concluded.

"No, I 'ain't. I'm going to pretty soon." This from behind his paper.

"'N' the cows will be straying off and be put in pound, and you'll have to pay for getting 'em out. It cost you $3 last week, and $3 would mend that fence and do a lot more things that need being done about this house that don't never get done, and don't never seem likely to, 'less I do 'em, and I 'ain't come to that yet."

He stirred the sheet uneasily. "I'm going to 'tend to it to-morrow morning. I really am, and you won't need to bother any more about it. I wish you didn't take things so hard, Serissa."

"'N' there's that sink-drain needed hoeing out for two weeks, and you didn't get round to it. I had to hire Alonzo Butler to come and do it, and to tend to the front-door latch, and put up the swinging shelf for my preserves, and carry off that truck I gave you last house-cleaning time and you said you'd tend to next day. When I think of it I get considerable riled. It's put off and put off, and drop things here and shove things there, and no system or order nor nothing. Most women would get exasperated."

"You don't never, do you? You're a pretty patient woman, considering all things, Serissa." He gazed at her reflectively. "I guess perhaps I'll go 'long now and do one or two things I 'ain't finished yet. I might as well, I suppose."

He arose slowly, dropped the paper, and started from the room. His feet struck the bare floor of the kitchen.

"You 'ain't seen my shoes, have you, Serissa? You 'ain't gathered them up in some of your-slicking up, have you, Serissa? They don't seem to be anywhere."

"When did you have 'em last?"

"I don't know. When I came in, I suppose. I don't remember; but I suppose I had 'em. I haven't been going stockining-foot, have I?" He looked at her perplexed. Then he glanced at his feet. "Those stockings don't look 's if I'd been out-doors without any shoes. I must have had 'em somewheres, Serissa."

"Where do you generally put 'em?"

"Most any place. Just where I happen to be, I guess. It ain't very systematic, I know, but I've got kind of into the habit of it."

"You were in here, wa'n't you?"

"Yes."

"Well, you ain't looked here, have you?"

"Why, no! I didn't think. Somehow it didn't seem to me I'd a' left them in the setting-room. I don't generally, do I, Serissa? I don't mean to, I'm sure."

The perplexed look on his face broadened into a smile as he espied one shoe and groped for it under the chair.

He gazed about helplessly for its mate. "The other isn't here."

"Have you looked everywhere?"

"Yes."

"What's that in the corner?"

"It appears to be my other shoe. I should really say that it was. Did I put it there?"

"I suppose you did. 'Twas there when I came in."

He opened the door slowly and turned, one hand on the door-knob. Serissa was putting the last of the wood into the fire.

"I'll find that wood-box right off now," he said, cheerfully, "and, I say, I wish, you'd kiss me just once, Serissa, even if I am shiftless."

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Zadoc was dead. The house was quiet and in perfect order. Never had it been so, even at the festive occasions such as Thanksgiving for Zadoc had always been present.

The funeral was over and the relatives departed. Serissa was alone. She tried to drink some tea. It would cheer her up and steady her nerves. She was trying to be resigned—everyone had told her she must be—but somehow she did miss Zadoc dreadfully.

"I believe—I believe I'd even like to see some of his clutter," she said mournfully, as her eyes took in the primness of the room in its perfect order. "It looks dreadful cold and funeral-like this way. Just 's if some one was dead, and 'twould always stay just so and never look lived-in again. I can't stand it, anyway."

She jumped from her chair, and siezed the neat pile of papers on the table, with a wild toss of her arms sent them broadcast through the room. They fell with a rustle that sent a thrill of gladness through Serissa's sore heart.

"That crackle does sound kind of comforting and natural," she mused. "But things ain't all right yet." She twisted the chairs around in all sorts of positions put the head-rest on the big arm-chair askew, and pushed the tidies off the sofa.

Suddenly she paused. There was a sound, a footstep. Some one of the neighbors was coming. But how it sounded like Zadoc's step! It was unmistakable.

It was Zadoc. She awoke from her dream with a start.

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"I guess you're right about my being shiftless," he said. "I had ought to have fixed that fence before, Serissa. I really ought. The cows got out again, and one of 'em I can't find anywhere. I staid long enough to mend things so it wouldn't happen again and I harnessed up and thought perhaps you'd like to drive down with me and see if we can't find her. It's going to be a dreadful pretty evening. Why, Serissa!"

She was crying on his shoulder. "You don't never need to call yourself shiftless again," she sobbed. "I don't care how you do things. I don't care one mite. I guess there's things worse 'n being shiftless, and—and it's you Zadoc."—*Harper's Bazaar.*

Somebody Got Hurt.

Bride's little brother to bridegroom.—Did it hurt you much when she did it?

Bridegroom—What hurt me?

Bride's Little Brother—The hook. Did it go into your lip.

Bridegroom—I don't know what you mean, Johnny.

Bride's Mother—Leave the table this instant, Johnny!

Bride's Little Brother—What for? I only wanted to know if it hurt him. You said that sis had fished for him a long time, but she hooked him at last, and I wanted to know if—

SHE—I would like to call you by your Christian name, love, but Tom is so hateful and common, you know. Haven't you some pet name?

He—N—no, I er haven't.

She—Are you always known as Tom among your friends?

He (brightening up)—No, the boys call me "Shorty."—*Harlem Life.*

MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY.—It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, LaGrippe and all throat and lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on S. J. Codori, Druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. (4)

TAKING THE CENSUS.

The Feature of it Relating to Agriculture.

We take the following from a pamphlet recently sent out by the census authorities:

Three simple schedules have been prepared and printed on different colored paper in order that they may be readily distinguished one from one another. One of them covers ordinary garden vegetables, a second covers fruits, and the third the great staple field crops. Each asks about the units of measure employed and the net price realized, and the two more important schedules, those for staple field products and for vegetables, ask for the highest and lowest yield of each crop per acre. These schedules are being mailed to prominent farmers all over the country and in many instances returns have already been received. When the returns have been received and tabulated, a scheme will be made from them of what is to be accepted as correct in each case and what is to be probed farther. The only aim of the office is to get what was really the intention of the farmer in answering the questions. If the presumption is strongly against his meaning what the schedule says, the office will try to learn by correspondence from the Supervisor, or Enumerator, or the farmer himself what the real facts were.

If the farming public will continue to cooperate with the heartiness already displayed, this effort will result in a more trustworthy census of farms than has ever been taken. Farmers, as a class, are less able to cooperate than the representatives of any other great industry. Hence the Census Office can do more for them than it can for centralized lines of business, which can and do make their own investigations, and it will do its best to present a full and accurate photograph of this leading occupation. The Director of the Census urges every one interested to aid the work.

THE APRIL CENTURY.

The April *Century* is rich in pictorial illustration, its special art features including a frontispiece engraved by Cole, a full-page plate of H. O. Tanner's painting, "The Annunciation;" Castaigne's Paris pictures and Du Mond's decorative treatment of "The Groves of Pan," a poem by Clarence Urmy. From the "Talks with Napoleon," in this number, it appears that the Emperor was so fully resolved to make his home in America, in the event of defeat at Waterloo, that he had bills drawn upon this country for whatever sums he chose to take. He told Dr. O'Meara that he had "spent sixteen millions of ready money," of his own, before the battle. "I have probably as much money as I shall ever want," he said at St. Helena, "but I do not know exactly where it is." "Fashionable Paris" is brought vividly before the reader by Richard Whiteing's pen and Castaigne's pencil. M. Worth's explanation of how fashions were started, under the Second Empire, is one of the titbits of this paper. Lovers of travel and adventure will turn to Miss Seidmore's account of "The Greatest Wonder in the Chinese World," the bore of Hang-Chau, a tidal wave that sweeps up the Tsien-tang River thrice every year; to R. Talbot Kelly's "Out-of-the-Way Places in Egypt," with illustrations by the author; and to the first installment of Benjamin Wood's true tale of "The Hardships of a Reptiler" engaged in turtle-hunting, for profit, on the Caribbean coast of Central America. The same class of readers will be drawn to "The Kentuckian," a timely study of a type, by John Gilmer Speed, a native of Kentucky, and in some respects a typical representative of the "blue grass" state. Lovers of letters, on the other hand, will find their account in "Browning in Asolo," by Katherine C. Bronson, an American friend of the poet's, the loggia of whose summer home was perhaps the one spot in Italy that most attracted him. Of kindred interest is an unpublished letter of Tennyson's to an old bricklayer in a Western state, who had known the Laureate in his childhood. Mr. Morley treats chiefly, this month, of the crisis of 1647, and Cromwell's attitude therein. In Dr. Weir Mitchell's "Dr. North and His Friends," the heroine is introduced—a beautiful young woman with a beautiful voice but a slightly deformed body. "The Dulcepiji Family" is a sympathetic study of marmosets, by Justine Ingersoll, with pictures drawn from life. W. S. Harwood writes of "The Success of the Government Telegraph in England" and Charles Barnard of "The Industrial Revolution of the Power-Tool." Fiction in the form of short stories bears the familiar names of Cornelia Atwood Pratt, Abbie Carter Goodloe, and Ellis Parker Butler. The frontispiece is T. Cole's engraving of Constable's "The Thames."

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FOR A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

To restore to the people the sanctity of the right of election and for honesty and purity of the ballot, Hon. John Wanamaker suggests, in an address to the Business Men's League, a constitutional convention, to provide for ballot reform in the fundamental law. In part he says:

The people of Pennsylvania and Philadelphia are practically disfranchised by fraud, corruption and coercion. Their respective branches of government, legislative and executive, are held almost entirely by the beneficiaries of those crimes, who are placed in office to protect and reward themselves and associates composing the machine in whose behalf, by official power, they oppress and plunder the people.

While the Constitution stands unamended there can be no real ballot reform, no genuine registration of voters, no free and honest elections, no relief from the rule of corrupt machines, which pollute or defy the ballot boxes and dictate the fraudulent majorities to be returned.

Specific constitutional amendments intended to open the way for honest ballot reform, and compulsory personal registration, regularly passed by the two houses of the Legislature and submitted to the people, are held up by the machine Governor, pocketed by the machine Secretary of the Commonwealth, in brazen contempt of law and right, and the people arbitrarily denied the opportunity to pass upon them.

Under these circumstances, unheard of in the history of any other free State, I have long and earnestly considered what remedy short of revolution remains and my conclusion is that the time has arrived when nothing less than the assembling of the people themselves in sovereign constitutional convention will suffice to restore our liberties and to adequately safeguard them for the future.

This, like all other political questions, rests with the people, to be decided as they desire. It depends on the interest they shall take in the matter, for without the united action of a majority nothing can be done.

If the voters generally will attend their respective primaries, and there insist on suitable men to represent them, the question of ballot reform will speedily settle itself, for with the election of honest men to political positions will come honest administration of public affairs. Political power and political reform begin at the primary elections, and it is there that the will of the people is to be expressed.

PRESIDENT M'KINLEY CHANGES.

It has been demonstrated as never before to the satisfaction of men of all parties that President McKinley is a man absolutely without fixed convictions of any kind. The only subject, apparently, upon which he has not been known to change his opinions is that of the expediency of his own re-election. That is a matter, however, upon which the opinions of the American people are of more importance than any which Mr. McKinley individually may hold, however fervently and sincerely. And the American people understand now better than they ever understood before what manner of man Mr. McKinley is. They have not been unfamiliar with the case of Presidents changing their opinions upon questions of public policy. That is but natural. The man who never changes his opinion is the man who never learns. But never before have they been treated to the humiliating and mortifying spectacle of a man at the head of this great nation deliberately recommending to Congress a certain course, as dictated by our "plain duty," and then as deliberately turning around and exerting all the influence of his great office to prevent Congress from following his own recommendation.

Had any new facts come to light, any change of circumstances or conditions arisen between the date of his message to Congress urging that body to abolish all customs tariff between the United States and Puerto Rico and the passage by the House of a new Puerto Rican Tariff bill, can anybody doubt that President McKinley would have eagerly availed himself of the opportunity to send in another message to Congress explaining and justifying his own and his party's change of position? But nothing of the sort comes from the White House. The policy which, in his message, publicly and openly in the face of the world, the President advocated as a matter of "plain duty" he deliberately labors to defeat. The reasons, whatever they may be, for this extraordinary change of front the President dares not put on paper, so that the country may know and judge of their sufficiency. The American people prefer plain speaking and honest dealing. It may be questioned whether they would not rather have for their President to-morrow a man candid and honest, straightforward and overboard, consisting even in his adherence to a wrong opinion, than a man who has shown his readiness to surrender even his convictions of "plain duty" and of what is right and just at the suggestions of mere expediency or the dictation of sordid interest.—Balto. Sun.

THE QUAY CLAIM.

In the multiplicity of important affairs before the Senate it daily becomes less probable that a vote will be taken on the Quay case in this session of Congress. So far as the Senate is concerned this postponement would dispose of the case, unless there should be another deadlock in the next Legislature of Pennsylvania. It is quite unlikely that the Quay Machine would be able to secure a majority in the next General Assembly, and if the Democrats and Independent Republicans should again fail to elect a Senator Mr. Quay would be sent back with Governor Stone's appointment to renew his claim for admission.

For more reasons than one the Senate is extremely reluctant to decide a contest which the people of Pennsylvania will soon have an opportunity to decide for themselves. Senators do not conceal their disgust over the indecency of Mr. Quay in forcing upon them this question in view of his own course in the Corbett case. In easily reversing himself to serve his own interests they say he is asking his friends in the Senate to make too great a sacrifice for his personal benefit. Some Senators who have committed themselves to his support now find that by voting for his admission they would seriously compromise their political positions at home. Moreover, the indications of the abhorrent influences which have been invoked to force Mr. Quay into a seat for which his State has rejected him do not lessen the disgust of the Senate with this contest.—Phila. Record.

CORNELIUS N. BLISS is the choice of President McKinley for running mate on the next Republican national ticket, it is stated. He is the favorite with the President, because the latter feels that if he had Bliss in the office of Vice President he would have a man upon whom he could depend, as he did upon the late Vice President Hobart, for advice upon questions of importance that will arise.

There is still uncertainty about Governor Roosevelt, who is going to the National Convention as a delegate. It is said by his friends that his appearance in the convention may lead to a stampede in his favor.

THE attention of all Pennsylvania Democrats will be directed this week to Harrisburg, where on Thursday the convention will nominate candidates for Auditor General and two Congressmen-at-large, besides naming eight delegates-at-large to the National Convention at Kansas City. The convention will also confirm the selection of the 56 delegates who will represent the 28 Congressional districts and who are named by the delegates from those districts to the State Convention.

THE Democrats of Pennsylvania look to Colonel Guffey's "harmony" committee for the accomplishment of much more than a smoothing of the surface of factional politics in Pennsylvania. That committee is fairly representative of the intellect and character of the Democratic leadership throughout the State. It is, therefore, expected to do a great deal toward an effective reorganization of the Democratic party, not merely in Philadelphia, but wherever it is found that such reorganization is necessary.—Harrisburg Star-Independent.

EX-PRESIDENT Cleveland was interviewed last week in regard to the statement that he is in favor of the re-nomination of William J. Bryan for the Presidency, and will vote for him if he runs again. Mr. Cleveland denied that he had ever given any one authority to make such a statement, but further than that he declined to give expression to his views on the subject.

IN the Senate on Saturday Mr. Chandler, chairman of the Committee on Elections, gave notice that he would ask the Senate to proceed with the Quay case on Wednesday either under the order of the Senate or as a subject of the highest possible privilege.

COYLE "NOT GUILTY."

"Not guilty" was the verdict reached Tuesday night by the jury in Dauphin county, trying ex-Senator John J. Coyle for an alleged attempt to bribe Representative John Engler, of Lycoming county. The costs of prosecution are divided between the prosecutor and defendant.

It took nine hours for the jurymen to come to an agreement. Four ballots in all were taken. The first two resulted four for conviction and eight for acquittal, and Coyle to pay the costs. The jury went to supper, and later, after much discussion, took another ballot, which resulted in three for conviction and nine for acquittal, with the costs on Coyle. Then there was more wrangling and discussion, and half an hour later all agreed on the verdict of "not guilty and the costs divided between the prosecutor and defendant."

Coyle expresses great indignation, publicly and privately, because of the provisions in the verdict, which compel him to pay half the costs, which amount to at least $2,000.

GEN. JOUBERT DEAD.

A Pretoria dispatch of the 28th states that Gen. Piet J. Joubert died there of peritonitis at 11 o'clock the night before amid wide spread grief. He had been sick two days. A London dispatch says:

England is sincerely sorry that General Joubert is dead. Not only have the Boers lost a great general and a successful farmer, merchant, lawyer and politician, but both sides have lost the only man in whom, when time for a settlement comes, both sides could have placed confidence.

He was broader minded than Kruger, and he was loved while Kruger is feared and respected.

Though he was intensely patriotic and true to his country's cause, the loss of Joubert, the diplomat, will be more keenly felt by the Boers when the war ends than is the loss of Joubert the military genius.

There seems reason to believe that President Kruger himself will take the field. He is an old and tried fighter, and the Boers of both States would flock to his standard. The President has often expressed a desire to lead his armies in battle.

PHILADELPHIA DEMOCRACY.

That National Committeeman Guffey is sincere in his desire to restore harmony among the Democratic voters of Philadelphia is evidenced by the character of the men he selected last week to discuss the situation with City Chairman Donnelly's committee of five. Colonel Guffey, at Pittsburg, announced that he had secured the services in this connection of Congressman J. K. P. Hall, of Elk county; ex-Congressman Simon P. Wolverton, of Northumberland; George F. Baer, of Berks; George A. Jenks, of Jefferson, and ex-Deputy Attorney General James A. Stranahan, of Dauphin.

It is expected that these men, than whom no better equipped or more highly respected Democrats could have been selected, will meet Chairman Donnelly's committee in Philadelphia soon, and the men who really desire harmony for the good of the party believe that a scheme satisfactory to both local factions can easily be evolved.

AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS.

A statement showing the sources of the agricultural imports of the United States during the five fiscal years 1894-1898 has been prepared by Frank H. Hitchcock, chief of the foreign markets section of the Agricultural Department.

During the years named the imports had an average annual value of $368,748,457. Sugar, coffee, hides and skins, wool, silk, vegetable fibers, fruits and tea were the articles imported most extensively. Measured in value, those eight items formed over four-fifths of our total import trade in agricultural products for the period mentioned, their combined value averaging about $300,000,000 a year.

Of this sum more than one-half was paid for two commodities—sugar and coffee. The average yearly value of the sugar imports for 1894-1898 amounted to $90,418,685, and coffee $83,579,106.

NO HOME RULE YET.

The sub-committee of the Senate, consisting of Senators Platt, of Connecticut; Aldrich and Teller, which went to Cuba for the purpose of investigating conditions on the island, with a view to action by Congress with respect to Cuba, has returned to Washington. Chairman Platt said:

"It may be said of all classes in Cuba that they are looking to the establishment of an independent government, a Cuban Republic. All are looking forward to the municipal elections that are to take place in the latter part of May, regarding such elections as the first step toward the establishment of the new Government. Much will depend upon the result of these elections. If they take place without disorder and good officials are elected, that will go far to prove the capacity of the people for self-government, and steps can be taken without great delay for further progress in that direction.

"The problem is complicated by the fact that self-government is an untried experiment, by a people who have had little opportunity to study its principles or its details, its necessities or its responsibilities."

Charles Moore, of Delta, York county, returned to his home Wednesday evening, after an absence of four years in the Alaska gold regions, the owner of claims estimated to be worth $250,000, and a large quantity of gold dust and nuggets, which were sewed up in the pockets and linings of his clothing.

CLEVELAND QUOTED.

Unselfish Policy as the Proper American Attitude.

A dispatch to the N. Y. Herald from Princeton, N. J., says:

"Ex-President Grover Cleveland has clearly defined his position in regard to the Nicaraguan canal question. In spite of the criticisms of his enemies Mr. Cleveland has upheld and will continue to uphold the high ideals which characterized the sentiments contained in his message to Congress on the subject. He takes the standpoint of high-minded, unselfish patriotism. Mr. Cleveland believes that the United States in all her dealings with other nations is to adhere first and foremost to an unselfish policy. 'Do unto others as you would have others do unto you,' should be the rule for nations, Mr. Cleveland says, as well as for individuals.

"The Philippines, he thinks, should be self-governing because they were independent in the first place. Puerto Rico should be a self-governing nation when her ability for independence is shown. In the meantime the United States is to be in the position of a kind father, giving help and advice where advice and help are necessary.

"Mr. Cleveland states as proof of the fact that unselfishness is the best policy for nations the tendencies of modern ethical schools. Evolutionary ethics and the latest sociological themes built on the basis of freehandedness and kindness have proved themselves to be the best solution up to date for the lifting up of the downtrodden and oppressed. Mr. Cleveland's idea is, in brief, the doctrine of the golden rule. The Philippines and West Indies alike are to be treated as brothers.

"The ex-President is well known as a conservative in politics. Conservation he takes to be temperance through the golden mean in seeking a state of perfect peace and harmony as the ideal toward which all nations are arriving. Why not, says Mr. Cleveland, crown the work as soon as possible by applying its principles to modern political and social movements, and give the principles of ideal justice a chance to show its efficacy? This is Mr. Cleveland's policy in regard to the Philippines and Puerto Rico, the policy of justice to the inhabitants of the islands, an ideal justice which shall place the United States in a unique position among the nations."

BOERS AGGRESSIVE.

The Boers have taken the aggressive north of Bloemfontein, the Orange Free State capital, says a recent dispatch. A dispatch to the London Morning Post from that place says President Kruger has boasted his intention to retake the town within a week. It is considered probable that the Boers are advancing in force southward.

From their main intrenchments at Kroonstad the burghers have sent bodies of men south almost to Glen, 10 miles north of Bloemfontein, where Lord Roberts has his advance posts. Additional British troops are being sent up to Glen, including the entire Seventh Division and part of General French's cavalry. About 20,000 British are now there. While it is not believed that the Boers will give battle against vastly superior numbers in the flat country north of Glen, their movements are considered in London to show that they intend to harass every movement of Lord Roberts.

In Western Cape Colony the Boers are also showing unexpected aggressiveness. They have reoccupied the town of Campbell, and are in force near Taung's and Barkly West. Lord Methuen has been unexpectedly recalled to Kimberly by Lord Roberts. The significance of this is not known.

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Chronicle, telegraphing Thursday, says:

"President Kruger's latest proclamation warns the women and children to leave Bloemfontein within five days, as he intends to bombard and destroy the city and to shoot the burghers whom he captures there."

Vigorous measures have been taken by the British to harass marauding bands of Transvaal Boers. The latter are resorting to guerrilla methods, chiefly against Free Staters who refuse to join Kruger.

The capture of a large force of British about 30 miles southeast of Bloemfontein on Saturday caused alarm in London because of the fresh evidence afforded of large bodies of Boers to the north and east of Lord Roberts.

The War Office has had no report of the loss of a part of Colonel Broadwood's force with six guns, but the news is evidently well founded.

It all goes to indicate that the war will be prolonged far beyond what was hoped two weeks ago. The Boers have pulled themselves together all around, especially at Warrenton, and are evidently more than holding their own.

PROCEEDINGS IN BANKRUPTCY.

In January, 1899, the Blocher Bros., of Gettysburg, Pa., entered up judgments against W. E. Blocher and the same day caused executions to be issued. At the Sheriff's sale which occurred in a few days thereafter Blocher Bros. purchased the entire stock of the defendant, and gave credit upon the judgment of the amount of the sale, $4,500. Subsequently proceedings in bankruptcy were begun in the U. S. District Court, and W. E. Blocher was declared a bankrupt. At the hearing before the Referee objections were made to the claims presented by Blocher Bros., when it was alleged they could not present and prove their claims unless they gave up their claim as a preference. This they declined to do, when suit was brought in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County to recover the value of goods bought by Blocher Bros. at the Sheriff's sale. James M. Beck, Esq., of Philadelphia, was employed by them, and on Friday last, upon his advice, they paid to the Trustee the whole amount of the purchase money less the rent paid, which it was agreed was a preferred claim. The fund will now be distributed to the general creditors.—Chambersburg Repository.

An exciting fox chase Wednesday afternoon at Highfield, this county, was witnessed by a large number of spectators. A pack of about fifty hounds took part in the chase. A. Fox alone furnishing twenty-five, while Mr. Musselman and the Benchoff boys, of Blue Ridge Summit, and Clayton Zeigler, of Smithsburg, furnished the balance.

The anti-Quayites made a clean sweep in Allegheny County wherever a contest was made at the Republican primaries on Saturday, and Colonel Quay's representatives got a severe jolt in the First Legislative district in the defeat of Andrews and Simon.

YORK'S CLAIM.

The York Gazette, Republican, says in reference to York's Claim in Republican Congressional Conferences:

York's claim to six conferees in congressional and district conferences in this district, is based on the fact that the Republican vote of York county is largely in excess of the combined vote of Adams and Cumberland counties. As at present constituted, the Republican voters of York county, although so largely outnumbering those of Adams and Cumberland, are completely at the mercy of these two counties. With equal representation, Adams and Cumberland, with three delegates each, have six votes against York's three. This we claim is manifestly unjust and unfair.

BUCHANAN VALLEY ITEMS.

APR. 2—S. B. McKenrick's barn was burned Mar. 26 about 1 or 2 o'clock.

John Knouse, wife and two daughters, Lydia and Emma, visited friends in the Valley last week. Mr. Knouse has recently returned from Cambria county.

We had snow on Monday, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Brady's and Newman's schools closed March 27 and 29.

Miss Beatrice Cole has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. John Schwartger, of York.

Miss Annie Cole, who was seriously ill, is recovering.

Mrs. Flora Keiser and son John, of Bonneauville, visited friends in the Valley last week. S. C. S.

Peach Buds all Right.

The recent frigid weather has not affected the peach crop in Cumberland and Franklin counties, says an exchange. Ordinarily peach buds are developing rapidly at this season of the year but the cold wave of the past month retarded their growth and as a consequence the buds are unharmed. This year the indications are all for a big yield, but it will hardly reach that of 1898 as many trees have been taken out in order to stop the spread of peach tree diseases, and the new orchards bearing this year for the first time will not equal them in number.

Walking to Work

Is the only way in which the business woman, employed in store or office, can get open air exercise. Is it any wonder that she often grows pale and thin and develops a tendency to "weak lungs." Whenever there is pain in breathing, soreness of the chest, obstinate cough, bleeding from the lungs or any other symptoms of disease of the respiratory organs, begin the use of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and continue the use until cured. Ninety-eight in every hundred who have used "Golden Medical Discovery" for "lung trouble," have been perfectly and permanently cured.



"I was very sick indeed," writes Mrs. Mollie Jacobs, of Felton, Kent Co., Delaware, "and our family doctor said I had consumption. I thought I must die soon for I felt so awful bad. Had a bad cough, spit blood and was very short of breath. I had pains in my chest and right lung, also had dyspepsia. Before I took your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets' I was so weak I could not sweep a room, now I can do a small washing. I feel like a new person."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure heart-burn.

Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Mileeburg, Pa., says, "As a speedy cure for coughs, colds, croup and sore throat One Minute Cough Cure is unequalled. It is pleasant for children to take. I heartily recommend it to mothers." It is the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It cures bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and throat and lung diseases. It will prevent consumption. L. M. Buehler.

HENRY GROVE, a well-known railroader and for 28 years baggage master on the Frederick division of the P. R. R., died Tuesday afternoon at his home in York from cancer, aged 79 years.

Mrs. Harriet Evans, Hinsdale, Ill., writes, "I never fail to relieve my children from croup at once by using One Minute Cough Cure. I would not feel safe without it." Quickly cures coughs, colds grippe and all throat and lung diseases. L. M. Buehler.

F. N. PARKE and H. Stewart Roberts have been appointed receivers to wind up the firm of Bennet & Co., at Westminster, one of the largest lumber and coal firms in Carroll county, Md.

Lewis Ackerman, Goshen, Ind., says: "Dewitt's Little Early Risers always bring certain relief, cure my headache and never gripe." They generally cleanse and invigorate the bowels and liver. L. M. Buehler.

THE election in the new Twelfth ward of York City Tuesday resulted in the election of all the Democrats by majorities of from 25 to 75. The result of the election gives the Democrats a safe working majority in both branches of the city council, and also places the School Board in Democratic control.

Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says, "We never feel safe without One Minute Cough Cure in the house. It saved my little boy's life when he had the pneumonia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and all lung diseases. Pleasant to take, harmless and gives immediate results. L. M. Buehler.

REV. S. N. MOYER, the retiring pastor of the Otterbein United Brethren Church, at Boiling Springs, Cumberland county, was hanged in effigy in front of the Boiling Springs Hotel, Sunday night aweek. Mr. Moyer was one of the most active workers against Charles Stell, who applied for the license, and largely through his efforts the license was refused. The effigy hung in front of the hotel for about three hours when some members of Rev. Moyer's congregation cut the effigy down.

To secure the original witch hazel salve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. They are dangerous. L. M. Buehler.

THE Rev. J. M. Holmes, pastor of a Methodist church in Baltimore, is making arrangements for the permanent publication there of a christian daily paper to be called The Christian Citizen. It will exclude liquor and theatrical advertising, news of prize fights and Sabbath desecration from its columns and will have no political leaning.

M. R. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the very best pills ever used for costiveness, liver and bowel troubles." L. M. Buehler.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

OF COD-LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES

should always be kept in the house for the following reasons:

FIRST—Because, if any member of the family has a hard cold, it will cure it.

SECOND—Because, if the children are delicate and sickly, it will make them strong and well.

THIRD—Because, if the father or mother is losing flesh and becoming thin and emaciated, it will build them up and give them flesh and strength.

FOURTH—Because it is the standard remedy in all throat and lung affections.

No household should be without it. It can be taken in summer as well as in winter.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

A word to women.—Any sick woman is invited to consult by letter with Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. In an active practice of more than thirty years, assisted by a staff of nearly a score of associate physicians, Dr. Pierce has treated and cured over half a million women. All diseases peculiar to women are treated with success. This consultation by letter is absolutely free. Every letter is treated as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Answers are mailed promptly giving the best of medical advice. All answers are sent in plain envelopes bearing on them no printing of any kind. Write without fear and without fee to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

TUESDAY'S issue of the Utica Morning Herald was the last. The paper was established in 1847 and was for many years the leading Republican paper of Central New York. Last December it went into the hands of a receiver.

How's This—We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO. Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo O., Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

IN the municipal election in Hagerstown, Md., Monday aweek, the Democrats swept everything, electing their candidates for Mayor and two Councilmen and winning the fight on the question of municipal ownership of an electric lighting plant, which cause they openly espoused.

REMARKABLE CURE OF RHEUMATISM.
KENNA, Jackson Co., W. Va.
About three years ago my wife had an attack of rheumatism which confined her to her bed for over a month and rendered her unable to walk a step without assistance, her limbs being swollen to double their normal size. Mr. S. Maddox insisted on my using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and used it according to the directions and the next morning she walked to breakfast without assistance in any manner, and she has not had a similar attack since.—A. B. PARSONS. For sale by Codori's Drug Store, Gettysburg.

HEIDELBURG Reformed Church, of York, has purchased the Stuck property on Philadelphia street, that place, and will erect a fine new edifice in the near future.

Exposure to a sudden climate change produces cold in the head and catarrh is apt to follow. Provided with Ely's Cream Balm you are armed against Nasal Catarrh. Price 50 cents at Druggists, or Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York, will mail it. The Balm cures without pain, does not irritate or cause sneezing. It spreads itself over an irritated and angry surface, relieving immediately the painful inflammation, cleanses and cures Cream Balm quickly cures the cold.

JUSTICE MESTREZAT, of the Supreme Court, has delivered an opinion that bicyclists have the same rights and are subject to the same restrictions in the use of their machines on the public highways as a person driving a carriage or other conveyance.

Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Caton, N. Y., writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat. L. M. Buehler.

THE Penn Iron Company, of Lancaster, which employs 450 hands, threatens to remove its works from that city because they are charged water rates of 5 per cent. per thousand feet. The water bill for the last quarter under meter system was $641; previously the company paid only $400 annually.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who has been cured of chronic diarrhoea by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever an opportunity offers, hoping that it may be the means of saving other lives. For sale by Codori's Drug Store, Gettysburg.

THE movement of the Union Good Citizens' Committee of York to suppress all Sunday traffic is agitating that town. Arrests for violation of the Sunday laws continue, and restaurant dealers and ice cream dealers have formed an organization to fight those whom they declare are "persecuting" them.

"I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my family with wonderful results. It gives immediate relief, is pleasant to take and is truly the dyspeptic's best friend," says E. Hartgerink, Overisel, Mich. Digests what you eat. Cannot fail to cure. L. M. Buehler.

THE large planing mill at Columbia, known as Bachman & Forry's, and owned by the First National Bank, of Columbia, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning aweek. There is no estimate of the loss beyond the statement that it cost $15,000 to install the machinery, all of which was burned. There is no insurance.

THE BEST IN THE WORLD.—We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough, and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would effect us. It cured us before the bottle was more than half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs.—The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale by Codori's Drug Store, Gettysburg.

CUMBERLAND county commissioners have decided to pay no more bounties on foxes, wildcats and minks.

This Month Take Hood's Sarsaparilla

And have new pure and bright blood. Then you will enjoy life.

FOR RENT—The undersigned will convert the first floor of his residence on Chambersburg street, opposite City Hotel, into an office or a store room to suit renter. Also two rooms on 3d floor for rent. PENROSE MYERS. j2.tf

WE have moved to our new building, Baltimore street, and are prepared to serve our customers in the very best way.
Mrs. W. H. Wierman,
mar.27.2t Baltimore street.

Jurors for April.

LIST OF GRAND JURORS drawn March 6, 1900, for Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Gettysburg, in and for the county of Adams, the FOURTH MONDAY of APRIL, 1900.

Buddy, John, farmer, Germany twp.
Becker, Wm. P., butcher, Bendersville bor.
Busby, John, cig'rm'k'r, McSherryst'n, 1st wd.
Colehouse, Edward F., shoemaker, Littlest'n.
Crouse, Augustus, farmer, Germany twp.
Deatrick, Amos, farmer, Straban twp.
Frey, D. S., farmer, Hamiltonban twp.
Felix, Joseph, merchant, Freedom twp.
Garrick, John A., farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Heckenluber, Geo. T., farmer, Menallen twp.
McSherry, H. H., jeweler, East Berlin bor.
McCullough, Jas. H., farmer, Cumberland tp.
Menges, Samuel E., farmer, Germany twp.
Nau, Charles, stonecutter, Germany twp.
Rebert, Michael, dairyman, East Berlin bor.
Raffensperger, W. A., agt., Arendtsville bor.
Schriver, Frank, farmer, Straban twp.
Smith, Gregory P., farmer, Oxford twp.
Sheely, Wm., laborer, Bendersville bor.
Taylor, Hanson W., farmer, Butler twp.
Walter, Conrad C., farmer, Liberty twp.
Walter, C. P. K., carpenter, Butler twp.
Weigle, Samuel, farmer, Straban twp.
Weikert, Charles, farmer, Highland twp.

LIST OF PETIT JURORS drawn March 6, 1900, for Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Gettysburg, in and for the county of Adams, the FOURTH MONDAY of APRIL, 1900, and to serve two weeks if necessary.

Bell, William, farmer, Straban twp.
Bigham, Grant, teacher, Hamiltonban twp.
Bream, Amos, farmer, Huntington twp.
Biehl, Joshua, painter, Germany twp.
Bowers, Amos, farmer, Huntington twp.
Baker, J. W., barber, East Berlin bor.
Becker, Andrew J., blacksmith, Franklin twp.
Cole, Phares, lumberman, Menallen twp.
Coulson, A. W., merchant, Latimore twp.
Deardorff, Harry, farmer, Arendtsville bor.
Diehl, Isaac, gent, Gettysburg bor., 1st ward.
Davis, James Mc., laborer, Huntington twp.
Eppleman, C., farmer, Butler twp.
Gilbert, I. Melt., merchant, New Oxford bor.
Gardner, Henry, farmer, Tyrone twp.
Group, John C., farmer, Huntington twp.
Hartzel, Jeremiah, farmer, Cumberland twp.
Hartman, Jacob, farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Howard, Jacob, merchant, Bendersville bor.
Kochler, Samuel, farmer, Oxford twp.
Kling, Jerome B., teacher, Germany twp.
Lerew, Curtis A., merchant, Latimore twp.
Lacy, Charles E., mason, Cumberland twp.
Lott, Wm. H., policeman, Cumberland twp.
Latever, James, farmer, Franklin twp.
Miller, Amos, farmer, Franklin twp.
Miller, Ephraim, laborer, Conowago twp.
Penn, Franklin, guide, Gettysburg, 3rd ward.
Picking, H. C., agt., Gettysburg bor., 2nd wd.
Peters, Henry, constable, Hamiltonban twp.
Rife, Charles, surveyor, Franklin twp.
Reaver, Daniel, farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Riffle, Geo. W., miner, Littlestown bor.
Ross, Edward, farmer, Tyrone twp.
Rhine, Wm. F., harnessmaker, Gettysburg bor., 3rd ward.
Sheely, James, laborer, Oxford twp.
Singley, Harry, engineer, Highland twp.
Smith, F. X., cig'rm'k'r, McSherryst'n, 1st wd.
Selp, R. K., farmer, Reading twp.
Sanaffer, Edwin, farmer, Conowago twp.
Steine, Joseph, farmer, Union twp.
Starner, Levi, wagonmaker, Hamiltonban tp.
Straley, Edward F., farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Troxel, David, gent, Gettysburg bor., 1st wd.
Thoman, Rudolph, farmer, Straban twp.
Toot, William, gent, Butler twp.
Weikert, Geo. W., farmer, Freedom twp.
Wills, John, printer, Gettysburg bor., 3rd wd.
Mar. 13. te

SHERIFF'S SALE.

ON THURSDAY, the 5th day of APRIL, 1900, in pursuance of a writ of Fieri Facias, issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, and to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court-house, in the borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., the following Real Estate, viz:

No. 1. A LOT OF GROUND, 40x165 feet, situate in Biglerville, Butler township, Adams county, Pa., improved with a Two-story BRICK HOUSE, with Weatherboarded Back-building attached, containing 11 rooms, Smoke House, 2 Wells of Water and other Out-buildings, and known as the Hotel property, bounded by Gettysburg street, Chambersburg street, an alley and lot of J. A. H. Reather.

No. 2. A LOT OF GROUND, 60x165 feet, situate in Biglerville, Butler township, Adams county, Pa., improved with a FRAME STABLE 60x60 feet, with Cattle Yard attached, Hog Pen, Ice House 18x20 feet, with cold storage attached, bounded by Chambersburg street, Penn street, an alley and lot of A. T. Pronice.

No. 3. A LOT OF GROUND situate in York Springs borough, Adams county, Pa., improved with a Two-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, Frame Stable and other Out-buildings, located at the corner of Main and High Streets and adjoining lot of Daniel Lerew and an alley.—Seized and taken into execution as the property of HARRY J. LEREW, and to be sold by me.

F. W. MORRISON, Sheriff.

☞Ten per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales by the Sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or, upon failure to comply therewith, the property will be put up again for sale.
Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg. Mar. 13. ts

Hamiltonban Twp. Road Accounts.

ACCOUNT of JAMES O. PETERS, Supervisor of Hamiltonban township:

DR.

Back taxes, 1898,	$101 70
Duplicate, 1899	776 76
Special tax, 1899,	201 28
	$1079 73

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Back tax, 1897,	$ 20 70
Exonerations, 1898	16 68
Work on tax, 1898,	41 65
Work done on tax, 1899,	571 20
Supervisor's wages	179 25
Back tax	37 93
Exonerations	15 82
Expenses	29 40
Expenses of settlement	8 10
Paid to C. P. Bream, note	100 00
Paid interest on Brown's note	2 00
Paid to Fred Shultz	1 47
Paid on Brown's note	51 67
Interest on Brown's note	8 56
	$1079 73

Audited and settled this 12th day of March, 1900.
WM. H. SMITH,
C. P. BREAM,
JOEL B. MUSSELMAN,
Auditors.
GEO. W. ROCKWELL, Clerk.

Account of JAMES ANDREW, Supervisor of Hamiltonban township.

DR.

Back taxes, 1898,	$ 30 77
Duplicate, 1899	665 24
Special tax, 1899	220 29
	$916 29

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Work on back tax, 1898	$ 13 22
Exonerations, 1898	5 86
Work on tax, 1899	695 91
Back tax	4 78
Exonerations	7 27
Special tax work, 1899	9 07
Back tax	7 38
Exonerations	9 72
Supervisor's wages	120 00
Expenses and interest to Brown	31 89
Expenses of settlement	8 10
Paid to C. P. Bream on note	6 61
Paid to Phillip Brown on note	83 75
	$916 29

Audited and settled this 12th day of March, 1900.
WM. H. SMITH,
C. P. BREAM,
JOEL B. MUSSELMAN,
Auditors.
GEO. W. ROCKWELL, Clerk. Mar. 20. 3t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 21st day of APRIL, 1900, in pursuance of a writ of Fieri Facias, issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, and to me directed, will be exposed at Public Sale, at the Court-house, in the Borough of Gettysburg, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the following Real Estate, viz:

A TRACT OF LAND in Huntington township, Adams county, Pa., containing 42 Acres, more or less, 2 acres in timber, improved with a Two-story FRAME HOUSE, Kitchen attached, Log Barn, with Wagon Shed and Corn Crib attached, Hog Pen and other Out-buildings, 2 Wells of Water, Fruit Trees, half-interest in 4 acres of growing Rye, bounded by lands of Sarah Flekes, Ellen Shriver, Thomas Blevenour and Ezra Myers.—Seized and taken into execution as the property of FRANKLIN MYERS, and to be sold by me.

F. W. MORRISON, Sheriff.

☞Ten per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales by the Sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or, upon failure to comply therewith, the property will be put up again for sale.
Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg. Mar. 20. td

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

MARGARET FORSYTH'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on estate of MARGARET FORSYTH, late of Mountpleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
JOHN L. JENKINS,
Conowago twp.,
Mar. 13. 6t Administrator.

THE MARKETS.

GETTYSBURG.

Corrected by J. Geo. Wolf's Sons.

Flour	$	@ 1 00
Wheat		67
New Wheat		67
Rakings		50
Corn		48
Rye		48
Oats		28
Flax-seed	95	@ 1 00
Timothy-seed		1 30
Buckwheat		65
Rye Straw		6 00
Hay	700	@ 8 00

RETAIL PRICES.

Wheat Bran	95	per 100
C and O Chop	1 00	" 100
Rye Chop	110	" 100
Flour	4 00	" bbl
Western Flour	4 50	" "
Oats	35	" bu
Corn	50	" "
Wheat	65	" "

BALTIMORE.

Flour	$ 5 00	@ 5 01
Wheat		70
Rye		65
Corn	38	@ 39
Oats	20	@ 60
Hogs ⅌ hundred, dead	6 00	21
Cattle beef per hundred, live	3 50	50

Hard-ware! HARDWARE! Hard-ware!

IN ENDLESS VARIETY.

Baltimore St., Just above the Court-house. Gettysburg, Pa.

(FORMERLY WM. H. MAYER'S.)

We extend to you a standing invitation to call and inspect the store and stock. We do not ask you to buy a cent's worth. Come and look around. We will take pleasure in showing you around. You may favor us sometime in the future with your trade. We herewith mention a few items:

For the Mechanic.

A fine assortment of Tools of every description, and of the best. This stock was low at purchase, but it has since been filled up in every particular and the mechanic can now come and get just what he wants and at the right price. Remember, a guarantee goes with every tool we sell you.

Paints, Oils and Brushes.

For the Painter we are amply prepared. This, you know, has been in my line for years. I take a personal pride in having the very best at the very lowest cost. In Leads, Colors, Varnishes and Brushes, we carry the best. The painter can work best with the best goods; the work is lasting and cheaper in the end.

Artist's Paints.

For the artistic ladies and gentlemen, would call attention to the fine and beautiful line of Gold, Bronze and Aluminum Paints and Powders—full line, and of the very best. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Carriage Goods.

This department of our store is fitted up in every line. The trimming shop, the wood-working shop, the paint shop and the smith shop can get their supplies here. We have received two car loads of steel and iron tire; one car load of wheels, rims and spokes. Other goods in abundance—enough to supply all the carriage shops in Adams co. at one order.

The Blacksmith.

For the Blacksmith's pleasure we have also invested heavily. We started in with two car loads of horse shoes; we bought them, too, when they were right in price; big lot of Toe Calks, Iron and Rasps, besides a full line of bolts, nuts, and everything required in the blacksmith shop. Come and see us, gentlemen, and be convinced of our large and varied stock.

Housekeepers.

A car load of Tin and Agate ware. This means everything we thought of. Possibly we have'nt everything; if not, we will get it. Tell us what you need. Table Knives and Forks, Table and Tea Spoons, Butcher, Bread and Paring Knives, Scissors and Shears, Carving Sets, Clothes Wringers, Carpet Sweepers and Carpet Beaters; and don't forget our stock of

WALL PAPER.

The BIGGEST Assortment,
The BEST Designs,
The LOWEST Prices.

Beginning at 3 cents per piece, and then at any price you desire. Can't help but sell you if you call and see our stock.

One whole car load of the finest wall paper has just been purchased and is ready for your inspection. Having made an unusually lucky deal we purchased this immense stock of wall paper and the lot will be sold at very low prices. The paper is all of the latest patterns, and we can assure you that here you have an immense bargain.

Baskets, Baskets.

Chip Baskets at 2 cents, better ones, Willow Baskets, nice and clean, just in.

Hammocks, Hammocks.

500 hammocks, in which to repose your weary body or take your afternoon siesta. I want one.

For the Farmer.

We have your wants: Fence wire and staples, poultry wire, screen wire, grain bags, binder twine, knives for reapers and mowers, (all sizes for any machine,) forks, rakes, shovels, barn door track and hangers, steel crowbars and wedges, mattock and picks, scythe and snaths, grain cradles, pruning saws, hook and knives, bag trucks, platform scales.

The Sporting Man.

Your wants and pleasures have been carefully studied, and large stocks have been carefully studied and carefully gone over and a fine selection has been made for you. Lots of guns, ammunition of every variety, fishing tackel in all its details, and a finer collection was never before held up for your inspection. Base ball bats, masks, gloves, etc.; bicycles and sundries belonging thereto. Don't fail to visit this department.

For Rocks and Stumps.

We have the material to bust them wide open. Dupont's Dynamite, 80 per cent. strength; caps and fuse; also blasting powder.

L. M. ALLEMAN,

GETTYSBURG, PA.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 14th day of APRIL, 1900, the undersigned, Administrators of the estate of Peter Diehl, deceased, will sell at Public Sale, in Liberty township, Adams county, Pa., on the road leading from [illegible] blacksmith shop to [illegible], [illegible] the former and 2 miles from the latter place, the following Personal Property, viz:

250 feet of Walnut Boards, 1 good Wagon Tongue, 25 Mulberry Window Sills, [illegible], 750 feet Birch Boards, [illegible] of Ash Plank, from 1 in. to 4 in., 300 ft. [illegible], [illegible] Apple Trees, 1 lot [illegible] Plank, [illegible] Lath, 50 good sawed Locust Posts, [illegible], an Oak Road Plank, 200 feet Fence Boards, 500 ft. Mixed Lumber, [illegible], good dry Wagon Spokes, 2 cords of Stove Wood, lot of old Lumber, [illegible], Circular Saw and Bench, Small Machine, Saw Gummer, Work Bench, 2 cross-cut Saws, Shaving-horse, 2 heavy Log Chains, [illegible] Link, spreader, [illegible], Wheelbarrow, 2 Crowbars, 2 Sledges, Mason Hammer, [illegible] steel Drills, Mattock, Pick, Digging Shovel, [illegible] Fairbank Scales, Carpenter Tools, 2 good hand saws, tenon saw, 4 augers, 3 planes, 2 squares, 4 chisels, brace and bits, [illegible], axe, [illegible] sleigh bells, Log rings, hay knife, [illegible] good step-ladder, mowing scythe, [illegible] mill, Household Furniture, [illegible] bureau, bedstead, feather bed, [illegible], blankets, sheets, quilts, pillows, carpets, rugs, [illegible], rocking chairs, 8-day clock, [illegible] book, flour barrel, 4 chests, vases and a great many articles not herein mentioned. The [illegible] is pretty nearly all wagonmakers timber, sawed [illegible] and smooth. Sale to commence at [illegible] o'clock, m., when attendance will be given and terms made known by

GEORGE DIEHL,
R. SAMUEL EIKER,
Administrators of
C. J. Sefton, Auct. A. T. White, Clerk.
Mar. 27. ts

Register's Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given to all legatees and other persons concerned that the Administration Accounts hereinafter mentioned will be presented at the Orphans' Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance on SATURDAY, the 21st day of APRIL, 1900, at 10 o'clock, a. m., viz:

8. The first and final account of [illegible] Hoffheins, Administrator of the estate of Samuel A. Warner, dec'd., late of Straban township, Adams county, Penna.

9. The first and final account of Rebecca A. Tudor and John Tudor, Executors of the last will and testament of Isaac I. Tudor, late of Baltimore township, Adams county, Pa., dec'd.

10. First and final account of Peter C. Smith, Executor of the last will and testament of William Wagner, late of Reading township, Adams county, Penna., dec'd.

11. First and final account of J. E. Pague, Administrator d. b. n. c. t. a. of Hannah C. Culver, late of the county of Adams, Pennsylvania, dec'd.

12. The first and final account of David B. Bosserman, Administrator of the estate of Jonas G. Myers, dec'd., late of the township of Reading, Adams county, Pennsylvania.

13. The first and final account of David E. Wagner, Executor of the last will and testament of Catharine Wagner, late of Reading township, Adams county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

14. The first and final account of James A. Miller, Executor of the last will and testament of Wm. H. Wierman, late of Cumberland township, Adams county, Penna., dec'd.

H. G. WEHLER,
Mar. 27, 1900. td Register.

The Original Carlisle Shoe

for Women, Misses and Children has been sold in the county for 25 years. Many others have been offered and represented to be just as good, but when tried have failed to compare with it.



Try the XECUTIVE SHOE for men at $3.50. This shoe is worn by President McKinley.

Look in our window for the latest styles in Stiff and Soft Hats and Gents' Furnishings.

Elliott's

Centre Square and Carlisle St.

PROCLAMATION

To the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables in the Different Boroughs and Townships in the County of Adams—Greeting:

KNOW YE, that in pursuance of a precept to me directed under the hand and seal of the Honorable S. McC. SWOPE, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the 51st Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Adams and Fulton, and by virtue of his office of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of Capital and other offenders therein, and in the General Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and C. G. BEALES and S. S. MEHRING, Esqs., Judges of the same county of Adams. You and each of you are hereby required to be and appear in your own proper persons with your Records, Recognizances, Examinations and other remembrances, before the Judges aforesaid, at Gettysburg, at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace therein to be holden in the county of Adams aforesaid, on the 4th MONDAY of APR., (being the 23rd day,) at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, then and there to do those things to which your several offices appertain.

{SEAL} GIVEN under my hand at Gettysburg, on the 1st day of Mar. in the year of our Lord one thousand and nine hundred.

F. W. MORRISON,
Mar. 13, 1900. te Sheriff.

PRIVATE SALE.

THE undersigned offers at Private Sale his RESIDENCE, situate on Carlisle street, Gettysburg, Pa.

For terms and conditions call on or address
CHARLES H. RUFF.
Nov. 28, 1899. tf

DOUGHERTY & HARTLEY.

Interesting Store News.

CHIEFLY about the new, the very new Spring Merchandise.

Every offering is interesting, not only because of its beauty, its newness and its originality, **but also because of the reasonableness of Price.**

Dress Goods.

Our dress goods we bought before the advanced prices of to-day. We have experienced some trouble in getting them at prices, but we have three shipments of them and are promised the last one this week.

Black Dress Goods.

Ours is a Stock from which the lover of Black Goods may be satisfied. We have given special attention to this line and for quality and price we invite comparison, from city stores or elsewhere. We name a few popular makes:

Lansdowns, Cheviots, Serges, Cammels Hair, Melrose, Venitian Cloth, Whip Cords, &c.

French Flannels.

This fabric, now so much in vogue for Ladies Waists, is here in full range of colors, Cream, Pink, Navy, Automobile, Cardinell, Light Blue, &c., advertised in city at from 58c to 75c, our price is **50c** while they last, as they cannot be duplicated at price.

Spring Plaids and Pastel Colors.

We have the new and desirable shades in both plaids and plain colors, and mixtures. Space will not permit our naming all the popular brands and colors, but invite your inspection of our stock before purchasing your dress.

Linings.

Our lining department is up to date in all the newest and for quality and price we can interest you and save you money.

Neva lining in all colors @ **18c** per yard.

Hair Cloth, French and Herring Bone, **25c** to **40c** a yd.

Canvas Shrunk Duck, &c.

DOUGHERTY & HARTLEY.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

JOHN CULP'S of M. ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of JOHN CULP of M., late of Gettysburg bor., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in same borough, Adams county, Pa., he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
RUFUS E. CULP,
Mar. 27. 6t Executor.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jos. J. SMITH AND WIFE, of Gettysburg borough, Adams county, Pa., by a deed of voluntary assignment have conveyed their estate to the undersigned, residing in Gettysburg, for the benefit of creditors; and as the Assignee proposes converting the property and settling his accounts as speedily as may be compatible with the interests of the creditors, he desires the creditors to hand in their claims at once, and those indebted to make payment immediately.
CHAS. S. DUNCAN,
Mar. 20. 6t Assignee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

WILLIAM H. HUMMER'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on estate of WILLIAM H. HUMMER, late of Highland tp., Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
R. WM. BREAM,
Highland twp.,
Feb. 27. 1900 6t Administrator.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS I. SMITH AND WIFE, of Gettysburg borough, Adams county, Pa., by a deed of voluntary assignment have conveyed their estate to the undersigned, residing in Gettysburg, for the benefit of creditors; and as the Assignee proposes converting the property and settling his accounts as speedily as may be compatible with the interests of the creditors, he desires the creditors to hand in their claims at once, and those indebted to make payment immediately.
CHAS. S. DUNCAN,
Mar. 20. 6t Assignee.

The One Day Cold Cure.
Kermott's Chocolate Laxative Quinine for cold in the head and sore throat. Children take them like candy.
For sale by H. S. BENNER

FOR SALE.

THE following valuable Real Estate is offered at Private Sale, on easy terms, viz:
THE FARM of the late I. A. TROSTLE, situate in Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., near Round-Top, 2 miles from Gettysburg, containing 25 Acres of good land, improved with a Two-story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, large Bank Barn, Hog Pen and Chicken House. Plenty of Water and good Fruit. Convenient to schools, churches and markets. This is a most desirable little home, conveniently located and will be sold cheap to settle up an estate. Very little cash needed to buy same. Apply to
WM. HERSH, Atty.,
Sept. 12, 1899. tf Gettysburg, Pa.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS BRENNER AND WIFE, of Oxford township, Adams county, Pa., by a deed of voluntary assignment have conveyed their estate to the undersigned, residing in McSherrystown, for the benefit of creditors; and as the Assignee proposes converting the property and settling his account as speedily as may be compatible with the interests of the creditors, he desires the creditors to hand in their claims at once, and those indebted to make payment immediately.
A. H. LILLY,
Mar. 13. 6t Assignee.

NOTICE.

THE first and final account of SAMUEL HOFFMAN, Assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Isaac Byers and wife, of Butler township, has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pa., and will be confirmed by said Court on SATURDAY, the 21st day of APRIL, A. D., 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m., unless cause be shown to the contrary.
AMOS J. COLLINS,
Mar. 20. td Prothonotary.

MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS.

RESOLVED, That in pursuance of the suggestion of the Treasury Department that notice, by publication in the Star & Sentinel and the GETTYSBURG COMPILER, be given the shareholders of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GETTYSBURG that a meeting of said shareholders will be held at the Banking House of the First National Bank of Gettysburg on the 10th day of APRIL, 1900, for the purpose of amending the Articles of Association in such manner as to adopt the sliding scale in the election of the board of directors, which shall consist of not less than five nor more than seven directors.
SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN,
Mar. 13. td Cashier.

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The Compiler.

Gettysburg Pa Tuesday April 3 1900

SPRING SALES

April ... Thursday—W A Culp and Bro (timber sale) Hamiltonban township

April 14 Saturday—... Diehl and Samuel Fiker administrators Liberty township

PERSONALS

—Rev and Mrs ... M Duenderfer, late of Newport who have been visiting ... W Diehl and family have gone to their new home in Carlisle where Mr Duenderfer is the newly elected pastor of the First Lutheran church

—Wm M Duncan President of the Citizen's Bank Eureka Springs Arkansas, spent a few days here recently with his mother, Mrs Catharine Duncan

—A series of articles by Wm Arch McClean, Esq of this place on "The Law of the Land" are being published in the "Green Bag" ... one of the leading law periodicals of the country The March number contained the ... article of the series

—Rev Vaughn ... the newly appointed pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church ... occupied the pulpit for the first time Sunday evening

—Samuel E Cox spent the past few days in Shippensburg

—W H H Wisotzkey State Agent at the Western Maryland ... has been quite sick during the past week

—Mrs J Hap... and daughter Miss Daisy are visiting friends in Baltimore and Washington

... of Elmyra N Y visited his parents ... last week

—Miss Gertrude ... of ... burg spent the past week with the Misses Van Cleve

—Miss Bessie Cunningham of Fairfield is spending a few days with her aunt Mrs Jennie K Cobean

—Mrs Charles ... who has been on the sick list for ... the past at the home of her sister ... in Chambersburg was brought to Gettysburg by her son Harry ... during the past week

—Miss A S Farrand ... Mrs M Kinney have been spending the past week in Baltimore

—Guy Wisotzke of Baltimore spent a short time at his home here last week having been called here on account of the illness of his father W H H Wisotzkey

—Peter McCavitt of Detroit was a Gettysburg visitor during the past week

—Miss Isabel ... of Wilson College Chambersburg is spending some time with her sister Mrs Charles ... H ...

—Misses ... and ... Himes of New Oxford were Gettysburg visitors during the past week

—Miss Alice Cable of Smithsburg Md and friend Miss Helen Steele of ... Ohio were guests of Mrs ... Dotterer last Friday

—N Lieberman ... to Frederick yesterday

—Dr ... attended the ... St Paul's ... church Washington D C on Sunday

—Among those registered at the Eagle during the past week were J ... City School ... Salem Mass and ... Arthur W Smith ... Miss Margaret Stone daughter of ... Stone and friends Miss ... Harrisburg and ... and Dr J Henry ... of ...

—Misses ... and ... Sheely have returned from a few weeks visit in Helam York county

—Dr ... who is a student in the ... University of Maryland ... a few days with Dr C ... last week

—Mrs Spear of Harrisburg spent the week at the Eagle ... Charles ... at the ...

—Mrs Harry ... visiting her sister Mrs D ... county

—Rev and Mrs ... of ... Emmitsburg ... the Misses Duncan during the past week

—Miss ... of Northampton Mass ... by M Diehl during this week

—Mr and Mrs ... of Medford Carroll Co Md who have been visiting at ... Hill ... at Hotel Gettysburg during the past week

—Miss ... who ... ing Dr and Mrs H W McKnight has returned to Harrisburg

—Harvey ... of the office ... spent a short time with his parents in Huntington township

—Mrs ... of Hagerstown Md is spending a few days with Miss Virginia O'Neal

—Miss Edwards of Hagerstown Md spent some time with her sister Mrs Guyon H ... during the past week

Mrs M O Smith of ... and Miss ... Smith of York spent some time with Mr and Mrs ... Steiner last wee

Rev Wm F ... of the Seminary preached a ... sermon in the ... M E ... church on Sunday

THE N G P ENCAMPMENT

The time for holding the ... division encampment of the National Guard of Pennsylvania has been set ... Aug 4-10, and the place for holding it ... between Mt Gretna and ... burg ... town having been ... of possible places for the holding of the camp ... it is understood that ... of the money subscribed by the town to the fund for the holding of ... encampment at that place ... has not been paid It has definitely been decided that the next encampment will be a division camp after which the regiments ... State guards can be more ... completed

COLLEGE NOTES

The base ball season of the College opens on Saturday at Lancaster when Gettysburg will cross bats with Franklin and Marshall College

Since the arrival of coach ... the College team has been engaged in practice both in the cage and out of doors It is expected that a hard week's work will be gotten in before Saturday, if the weather permits and from the present outlook the indications are favorable for the development of a strong team

Members of the Senior class of College were tendered a reception by Dr and Mrs H W McKnight at their ... on Thursday evening

OPENING—Miss A S Farrand invites the ladies to an opening of Trimmed Hats Thursday Friday and Saturday before Easter Her trimmer has been in Philadelphia for some weeks attending milliners openings copying imported hats and trimmings from one of the leading houses Neat and artistic trimmings can be expected at prices to suit all 1t

NEW CORSET—We are better prepared than ever to suit you in corsets ... every good kind is here ... cts upward

1t Dougherty & Hartley

Don't forget to attend the large lumber sale of W A Culp and brother See advertisement 1t

WANTED 300 tame rabbits, young and old G B McC SIERNER, a3 4t*

MISCELLANEOUS

The real estate offered by J L Butt and D G Minter, assignees of John A Livers at public sale on Wednesday was withdrawn because of insufficient bids

A NUMBER of shares of the Baltimore Building Association which recently collapsed are held by Gettysburgians and Adams county people the total valuation of which we are unable to ascertain

M N WEBLER Daniel Kift and Miss Helen ... Cope Committee on Teachers Permanent Certificates have arranged to hold the annual examination on June ... and ... at Gettysburg All candidates, after receiving the preliminary papers should communicate with the Chairman, M N Wehler, East Berlin Those desiring examination in other branches should so inform the Chairman

The new Episcopal church edifice in course of erection on the corner of Baltimore and High streets is partly under roof It will be a handsome building

A DEED of assignment was made on Saturday by Henry Hantz and wife of Reading township to B M Miller of Oxford township It conveys a farm of ... acres in Reading township

The spring term of the Preparatory Department of the College started to day It is expected that about 50 additional students will be enrolled for this term

The hours of service in the Presbyterian church have been changed to the following church service 10 ... a m and 7 30 p m Sunday school ... a m , Christian Endeavor ... p m and Wednesday evening service at 7 30

W M G Lyster and wife have been appointed by Gen C H ... to take charge of Red Patch ... Mr and Mrs ... are now in charge having moved there during the past week

J ... has been appointed collector by the Gas Company in place of Jos M ... resigned

A ... meeting of the Good Citizen ... League will be held in the Court house on Friday night April 6th ...

A ... will be given before the members of the American Club and their friends on Friday evening in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church by Prof Aaron Sheely on "A Brief Historical Sketch of the Settlement and Development of Adams County" Tickets can be obtained from any member of the club

COUNCIL ... No 124 ... elected the following officers last Tuesday ... Heltzworth ... Parker Wampler Recording Secretary C W ... Financial Secretary, ... Slaybaugh Treas ... Trustee Adam Fontz Hall keeper Chas S Spreece

There will be a business meeting of the Epworth League this evening at ... o'clock A full attendance is urged as it is the time for the annual nomination of officers

The Y W C T U will meet with Mrs Frances Walter next Thursday afternoon at ... o'clock A full attendance is requested

The ... Loyal Temperance Legion Medal Contest will be held in Assembly Hall Meade High School building on Tuesday evening April 10th at 7 30 o'clock when an attractive program consisting of orations by members of the ... and music by the Quartette of the Sophomore class of the College and others will be given Admission 10 cents

The Havana Cuba ... of a recent date has the following The third Battalion First Infantry base ball club would be pleased to arrange a series of base ball games with any interested club The team ... Gettysburg and Cumberland last Sunday week and played an interesting game with the ... Club team ... Sergeant ... who has lately returned ... in New Jersey ... for the soldier team Captain ... of this ...

The ... in the Court of Oyer and Terminer at Philadelphia ... a sentence of one year ... Charles ... who ... in Hugh Duncan ... at Seventeenth and Pearl streets that place ... Young Wassenborn before going to Philadelphia was employed by S J ... in his restaurant ...

The McCullough dining rooms and restaurant which for a number of years have been patronized by many Gettysburg people will be continued after Easter Mrs Charles E McCullough ... such action on her part This will be a matter of great ... to many who have been accustomed to ... at various times ... will continue ... at the same place

The excursion to Baltimore on Thursday was one of the largest of the season ... tickets being sold from Gettysburg ... tickets were sold from all the points stopping along the line

The ladies of the Reformed church will hold a live doll show in the John W Tipton store room Chambersburg street on Saturday afternoon at ... o'clock The admission ... cent will admit to the show and pay for ice cream and cake

A ... of Chambersburg has leased the hay bed and stable belonging to ... ware house property from Mr Koser and has started a hay packing business The plant which will be propelled by horse power packing from 7 to 8 tons per day, will be in charge of ... Hoffman

... George F Young on Friday evening picked up a pocket book from the pavement in front of the First National Bank building, containing $27 and a number of private papers Upon investigation he found ... Peter's name written on the inside ... Mr Young returned the same

A ... dance was held by a number of young people in ... gallery last Tuesday evening Music was furnished by the town orchestra

Chief of Police ... made 27 arrests in the borough during the month of March

THE PRESIDENT MAY BE HERE

A Washington dispatch of the 29th says Representative Mahon and Ziegler of Pennsylvania headed a large delegation of leading officers in the Pennsylvania ... Army to day in a call at the White House Their errand in visiting the President was to extend to him a formal invitation to attend the annual encampment of the Pennsylvania Grand Army of the Republic June 7 and 8 at Gettysburg The President thanked the delegation for their invitation and told them he should enjoy nothing better than to be present with them at Gettysburg and he should give the matter careful consideration If other engagements do not interfere with his ... them at the time named he said he should be their guest Among those present in the party were Colonel James ... Morrison Major William ... Captain ... Mitchell Captain J D Patterson Captain George W Skinner Major ... McCurdy and Colonel Thomas Semple

The price of hosiery yarn has advanced from 13 to 22 cts a pound We have 100 doz misses ribbed hose, all sizes, at the old price 10 cts while they last

1t Dougherty & Hartley

CALL at Harry Gilbert's opposite Eagle Hotel and examine his line of wall paper, the cheapest in town a3 tf

CHANGES OF RESIDENCE

In addition to the changes noted in these columns last week the following have taken place

O ... Benner from his farm in Hamiltonban township to the Swope property on York street

Emanuel D Keller from the Swope property York street to the McConaughy house on Lincoln street

Wm H Trock from the Cobean property, Washington street, to the Hartman house Chambersburg street

Eli Little from Chambersburg street, Gettysburg to Pikesville, Pa

George Riggs from the property in rear of the Jail to the Cobean property, Washington street

Watson Dickson from Baltimore street to the Kammerant property Chambersburg street

Mrs Jennie K Cobean from the George F Weaver building, Baltimore street, to house of Alfred Scott on Chambersburg street

Charles Sentz from the Alfred Scott property Chambersburg street, to Emanuel F Wisotzkey's house on Washington street

Mrs Hugh D Scott from her residence on ... Baltimore street to the rooms vacated by Mrs Catharine Duncan, Baltimore street

Harry Weaver from the Rowan house, Third avenue to the house vacated by Mrs Overdeer on Baltimore street

George Taylor and family, from M ... Wassem's to the McDonnell house, on W Middle street

S J Codor from the McClean house on Middle street to Mrs Horner's property on Stevens street

Harry Little of C from Chambersburg street to the Miss Mary Feister property on Stevens street

Alexander Walker Freedom township to the Misses McClean house on ... Middle street

Jeremiah Plank from Steinwehr Avenue to Highland township

Joseph H ... from Cumberland township to the Plank house on Steinwehr Avenue

John Henry from the Plank house, Steinwehr Avenue, to Chambersburg street

Mrs Isaac Hereter and mother from York Road Carroll county Md, to the Plank house Steinwehr Avenue

Harry ... from the Dotterer house Steinwehr Avenue to W Middle street

... Rice from his farm in Menallen township to ... M Ziegler's house York street

Nathaniel ... from his farm in Cumberland township to the Dotterer house Steinwehr Avenue

J S ... from the ... property Steinwehr Avenue to the Dr W H O'Neal house in rear of his office

Max ... from Cumberland township to the ... house on Steinwehr Avenue

J H Henry from the Reininger property York street to the Dotterer house Broadway Avenue

J ... from the 1st floor of the Dr H ... building Baltimore street to ... of the Masonic building, Centre Square

John Swope from the Forman house, ... street to the Reininger house York street

... from the Jesse Dearduff house York street to Fowlder ...

Henry ... from Oxford Avenue to ... house York street

... from ... to Griffith's house W High street

Mrs ... Horner from her residence on ... street to the Wassem house Baltimore street

... from the Globe Clothing House building, York street to the ... vacated by N Lieberman in the Dennis building

Harry S ... from Straban township to his father in law Jacob Herbst Gettysburg

Charles Chapell from Two Taverns to the W S Dutterer house on Baltimore street

Wm McIlraf from Centre Square to the W S Dutterer house on Baltimore street

Mrs ... Dill and daughter Miss ... from this place to Huntingdon Pa

Charles ... from W High street to the ... building Carlisle street

... from Wenksville to the ... property on Stratton St

Mrs Smith and daughter from the Dr H ... Diehl building Baltimore street to ... McPherson building on same street

Harry D Little from Chambersburg street this place to Round Hill, where he will assume charge of the post office

Emanuel F Wisotzkey from the house on corner of Washington and High streets to his property adjoining

Frank Althoff from his old residence on Washington street to the house vacated by Emanuel F Wisotzkey

J F McCammon from Lincoln street to his home on Carlisle street

BORDER RAID CLAIMS KILLED

The Pennsylvania Border Raid claims were again given a set back by the House on ... day, when the bill allowing them to be passed on by the Court of Claims was brought up by Representative Mahon who explained its provisions

Representative Dalzell made a short speech urging the passage of the bill, but Representatives Ray and Payne of New York opposed it On a division on a motion to recommit and table the bill there were ... votes in the affirmative and ... in the negative Representative Mahon made the point of no quorum

On a count of the House 111 members more than a quorum were found, and the Border Raid Claims bill was tabled

This disposes of these claims which have been pending for 10 years and over, for this session if not for good The claims aggregate $3 340 000 and are for damage done and property taken by the Confederates in their raid into the Counties of York, Adams Cumberland, Franklin Fulton, Bedford, Somerset and Perry in the years 1861 to 1865

A New Industry

C B McC Sterner of near town, has started a "rabbitry" and will devote his time to raising rabbits

These little animals are valuable, not only for pets but their meat is pronounced excellent for food the year round if properly prepared

A start has been made with 25 breeding does including some of the best stock which will be increased to 100

OUR ... French Lambskin is emphatically the highest grade one dollar ladies glove imported Try them A postal card with size will bring you a pair by mail Black and colors

DOUGHERTY & HARTLEY a3 2t

FOR RENT—A new brick house on South Baltimore street, 10 rooms modern conveniences JOHN ... marb tf

NOTICE—Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the undersigned for the recording of Deeds, Mortgages, or other work of the Register & Recorder's Office, to call and settle at once, as after April 1st 1900 all outstanding accounts will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection

SIMON P STOVER,
mar 6, tf Gettysburg Pa.

COURT BUSINESS

At a session of the Courts last Thursday the following business was transacted

Bonds of Tax Collectors approved.

Account of William I Shanafelter, guardian of Irene Rider, confirmed and guardian discharged

The first and final account of Henry W Hartzel, guardian of Emory L Raffensperger, confirmed and guardian discharged

Account of Simon M Hostetter, guardian of Mary L Feiser, confirmed and guardian discharged

Ignatius V Small, guardian of Roy, Lloyd and Ruth Devine, minor children of Edw Devine authorized to pay to Ellen Devine, mother of said children, $1 00 per week for each ward for maintenance

Petition for leave to file appeal from the borough ordinance of Littlestown extending the limits of that borough filed by William McSherry, Esq and Richard McSherry, executors

L A Asper Harry Golden and ... Orner appointed viewers on bridge site, on Marsh Creek, where the road leading from the Chambersburg pike to the Mummasburg road crosses said road in Franklin township

The following deeds were acknowledged in open court ... Rice, Clerk of the Courts, to Jacob H Rex, for three tracts of land in Menallen township, to George R Hartman, for a tract of land in Menallen township, to Lewis F Kammerant for a lot of ground in Gettysburg

In the matter of a road in Straban township from Hunterstown-New Oxford to Carlisle New Oxford road the appointment of John S Forney as one of the viewers, was revoked and ... Hamilton appointed

Report of Edward A Weaver Esq, auditor in estate of Mary A Hersh, deceased filed and confirmed

Sale of tract No 1 of the real estate of Susannah Leer, deceased, confirmed and order of sale continued as to tracts Nos 2, 3 and 4

Bond of Elizabeth O Leer administratrix of estate of Susannah Leer, deceased approved

Sale of the real estate of Thomas Timmins, deceased, late of Mountpleasant township, to Jacob Marks for $400 confirmed

In George A Maus vs Louisa C Maus divorce decreed

Report of C W Stoner, Esq, auditor in estate of Belinda E Swope, confirmed,

SCHOOL REPORTS

Following is the report of attendance of the pupils of Pine Run School, Hamilton township number of pupils enrolled—male 21 female 19, total 40 average daily attendance 35, per cent of attendance 88 Seven pupils attended every day, namely M Mary Laugher, Emma A Laugher Nettie B Jacobs, Nina G Jacobs M Beulah Wolf Clara G Wolf and Charles Warren Bingler ... Bruce Jacobs missed one day

David F Baker Luther A Sohe Nora M Pangher and Nora E W ... completed the Graded Course of Study and received Common School Diplomas

ERNEST J JACOBS Teacher

Arendtsville School No 1 report Ten pupils passed the Final Examination successfully one of whom ranked first out of a class of 51

Three pupils attended every day during the term viz Lucretia Andrews Vera Lecrone and Edna Miller

The following missed one half day Bernice Warren and Mary Nary

The following missed one day Carrie Lady Raymond Nary and Ralph B Kuhnse

Per cent of attendance for the term, Males 92 per cent Females 95 percent Average attendance Males, 18 Females, ... total 41 ... Teacher

The Primary School of Arendtsville closed March 23 The following pupils were in attendance every day during the term Eva ... Trostle, Burnadet Thomas Mary ... Bucher Mary A Gardner, Otto ... Thomas, Paul A Brame, Earl B Trostle Lloyd ... Fupp Jesse G Gardner Lloyd L Warren, Orie A Nary, Morris W ... holtz Loyd D Tawver Arthur A Taylor, Lawrence M Lupp Guy S ... Raffensperger Roy M Raffensperger ... D Weigle and Ira ... Lady

Per cent of attendance during the term for the boys 98, for the girls 9 ... total 98

HIRAM G LADY Teacher

BARLOW ITEMS

Apr 2—Jesse Clapsaddle, of this place, is busy trapping muskrats this winter

The peach buds in this locality have nearly all been injured by the cold wave we had the night of the 15th of March

The grain fields do not look as promising as they did before the late snows

Our creamery is doing a good business

Quite a number of our citizens will change their place of residence this spring

Public sales are all over in this section Things brought fair prices

The school of this place closed last Wednesday

Miss Myrtle Reindollar, of Gettysburg, was a guest a few days last week in this place

On the 22nd of March the dwelling house, out house and stable on the property of Rolandus Wintrode were totally destroyed by fire of supposed incendiary origin The buildings were unoccupied, Howard Miller having moved out the day previous

The Mountjoy congregation of this place contributed $34 35 to the famine sufferers of India Rev W G Minnich, pastor

The Mountjoy Union Sunday School of this place was reorganized on Sunday morning, April 1 with Rev W G Minnich in the chair The chair appointed as tellers John W Black and Edward H Benner The following officers were elected for the ensuing year Supt Geo P Black Asst Supt John W Benner, Secretary, John W Black, Librarians Miss Ruby Walker and Charles Schwartz and Treasurer, Edward H Benner J F S

ARENDTSVILLE ITEMS

Apr 2—Last Friday when David G Minter drew the water out of the fore bay preparatory to remodelling his mill he took out 739 cat fish

The two Sunday Schools of this place will hold their Easter services on Sunday at 10 o'clock a m

Isaac C Gitt, of Nanticoke, Pa, Sherman Plank and wife of, Allegheny City, and Mrs Rev N L Yeiser and children, of Carlisle spent a few days here last week among friends P

LETTERS remaining unclaimed in the Gettysburg Post Office April 2, 1900

Francis Carrier, Mrs Mary Harbaugh, John McKley, Elias Reidinger Thos Redmond, Harry S Riner, P T Sheehan

Persons calling for the above should state that they were advertised

GEO F YOUNG Postmaster

THAT THROBBING HEADACHE—Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr King's New Life Pills Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches They make pure blood and build up your health Only 25 cents Money back if not cured Sold by S J Codori Druggist 4

HAVE you seen the line of 2 and 3 ct wall paper at Harry Gilbert's, opposite Eagle Hotel a3 tf

HARRY GILBERT, opposite Eagle Hotel, has the finest line of wall paper in town 2 cts up a3 tf

Go to Harry Gilbert, opposite Eagle Hotel, when you need wall paper The cheapest in town 2 cts up a3 tf

EASTER opening Saturday, April 7th, 1900 Mrs W H Wierman,
mar 27 2t Baltimore street

FOR SALE OR RENT—The two story Brick Dwelling House on Chambersburg street, now occupied by I J Grenoble.—Apply to Calvin Gilbert. m 6 tf

DEATHS

Communicated

Melchoir Wolf, who died in Mountpleasant township, on Friday the 30th, inst, was born in Germany, on the 21st day of April, 1814, and was aged 85 years, 11 months and 9 days He emigrated to America with his parents, George and Margaret (Kinster) Wolf, in the year 18 3 The family, consisting of the parents and seven children, landed in Baltimore on the 20th day of April, 18.. They came to Gettysburg in the same year and settled in the vicinity of this place, where the parents died

Of the original family George, Michael, Maria, Dorothy and Melchoir are now dead Margaret (Wolf) Gerrich is living near Littlestown and although 91 years old she is quite active and able to attend to her household duties Christina (Wolf) Stouffer is living at Taneytown, Md at an advanced age

Melchoir Wolf is survived by his wife and three children, Lila, Henry and Alice, all of whom are married He was a kind husband, a loving father, a good citizen and neighbor, always willing and ready to befriend the needy and will be missed in the community in which he lived

For years he was a confirmed invalid, being confined to bed during much of this time He bore his sufferings with great fortitude and long before his death expressed his willingness to be at rest When asked by the writer of this sketch whether he was ready to go he said, "I am ready" using the words of the Master, "Come unto Me all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give ye rest"

The interment was made at St Luke's church cemetery, Rev Mann officiating

Miss Elizabeth Hemler, of McSherrystown, died Friday morning at the home of her grand niece, Mrs Mattingly, where she made her home Her death was sudden and was caused by an attack of apoplexy

Miss Hemler was about 80 years of age She was the daughter of John Hemler of Mountpleasant township She is survived by one brother and one sister Aloysius Hemler, of Mountpleasant township, is the brother, the sister Mrs Margaret Will, of Illinois The nephews are F X Smith and John F Smith, of McSherrystown H W Smith G F Smith and S A Smith of Oxford township, this county The niece is Sister Bridge, of St Joseph's Convent near Philadelphia

FAIRFIELD ITEMS

APR 2—Edw McCleaf, of this place, has entered the preparatory department of Pennsylvania College at Gettysburg for the spring term

R C Talley who has been employed by Emmert Hartzell of this place for the past eight years left to day for Harrisburg, where he expects to procure employment

O E Lenner and family, of near this place moved to Gettysburg to day

Preston Musselman moved into the east end of town and intends starting in the butchering business Mr Musselman who up to this time has been in the mercantile business in this town, is quite a popular young man and should make a success in his new venture

David Byer and wife moved into their new property on Main street to day

During the past week most of the public schools of this vicinity closed

The Reed family, of this place who, for many years have been our only colored residents are going to move to Gettysburg this week

J F Reindollar received the lumber for his new dwelling and stable last week

G M S

After a brief illness of about two weeks duration which at no time seemed dangerous ex Senator Charles H Gibson of Maryland, died Saturday morning at about 2 o'clock at the home of his brother Lieut S H Gibson in Washington

Captain H S G Peeple, of Company C Eighth Pennsylvania Regiment at Chambersburg, has tendered his resignation to take effect at once

Two handsome brick houses in Carlisle owned by David Wister were badly damaged by fire on Saturday The fire was caused by an overheated incubator, which was operated in a vacant room of the house occupied by William Harder

A HORRIBLE OUTBREAK —"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head" writes C D Isbill of Morganton, Tenn, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema Tetter Salt Rheum Pimples, Sores Ulcers and Piles Only 25c at S J Codori's 4

You get your wall paper trimmed free of charge at Harry Gilbert's, opposite Eagle Hotel a3 tf

I HAVE just received a car load of wall paper from 2 cts up HARRY GILBERT,
a3 tf opposite Eagle Hotel

THE Keystone Typewriter—One of the latest improved machines on the market. Prices reasonable For sale by G L Spangler, Gettysburg Pa

ONE second hand Agnore Piano for sale cheap at G L Spangler's Music Rooms, 30 York street, Gettysburg, Pa

BLACKSMITH STAND —A good blacksmith stand at Roundtop for rent or sale Possession 1st of April Apply to

OLIVER I ROUZER
m20 4t* Sedgwick, Adams Co, Pa

LEGHORN EGGS for hatching Single comb, Brown and White, 75 cents per 15

mar13 tf J L DICKLAY,
Gettysburg Pa

BUY the Standard Rotary Shuttle Sewing Machine, as it is proven to be the best in the world New machines, $18 up Come and see them C H DEARDORFF,
mar20 tf York St

THE THOMAS A EDISON PHONOGRAPH —The greatest talking machine on earth Prices $7 50 to $100 For sale at G L Spangler's Music Store, 30 York street, Gettysburg Pa

The One Day Cold Cure
Cold in head and sore throat cured by Kermott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine As easy to take as candy Children cry for them
For sale by H S BENNER

Do not put off buying the Easter gloves too late, colors and sizes get broken in the brisk selling All the old tried makes with clasps or lacers, in the best new shades Special is a new glove, real kid, new stitching two clasp $1 25 at

mar 27 2t G W Weaver & Son

FOR RENT —The Wierman grocery store room, from April 1st, 1900 Apply to
f20 tf CHAS S DUNCAN

FOR SALE —The Reiling farm of 143 acres, near Gettysburg Apply to
d12 tf MCPHERSON & MCPHERSON

Cure Cold in Head
Kermott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine easy to take and quick to cure cold in head and sore throat
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MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY —It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous The proprietors of Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases Asthma, Bronchitis, LaGrippe and all throat and lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on S J Codori, Drug gist, and get a free trial bottle Regular size 50c and $1 00 Every bottle guaranteed. (4)

LOCAL AND GENERAL

H C Hagerman, of, Mountpleasant township, has sold his farm of 55 acres to C L McMaster, of the same township for $2 000 cash

A lot of clothing which were on the wash line were stolen from Mrs Robert Tate, of Breckenridge street, last Friday night

Charles E Wills of Fountain Dale, has been adjudged a voluntary bankrupt

The Orthodox Friends of Bendersville, will hold their Quarterly meeting at that place on the 14th, 15th and 16th of April Speakers from Baltimore and other places will be present and address the meeting

Levi Gallatin, of Hanover an old, well known and highly respected citizen of that place died last Wednesday night from dropsy of the heart after an illness of about two weeks, aged 68 years, 8 months and 23 days

The funeral of Edward Reider, who was killed in the battle of Tonda, in the Philippine Islands, on February 23, 1899 took place at Mount Union church, in Hampstead district Carroll county, last week

At his home in Chambersburg on Wednesday, March 21st, Amos Lochbaum died aged 48 years and 11 days The deceased was a brother of Andrew Lochbaum, this county

Peter Leer has sold a farm containing 102 acres, in Huntington township to Dr C E Myers, of York Springs, for $5 250

Edgar S Smith postmaster and store keeper at Centennial this county, is enlarging his store and post office establishment by opening a store room on the second floor and giving a larger part of the room on the first floor to the post office

The Farmers' & Merchants Bank of New Oxford, has received a safe for temporary use until the new one arrives from the York Safe Works The new institution started business last week

The will of the late Washington Metzger of Abbottstown, bequeaths his entire estate to his wife

The civil service examinations required of applicants for enumerators of the census is causing Charles Zerbe, supervisor for the Eighteenth district much difficulty Of the many applicants for appointment who tried the examination he writes that only half will pass Some of the papers contain 50 errors, some over a hundred and none are nearly perfect

Ex Governor Hastings states that he is not a candidate for Congressional honors He says he does not want to be elected a delegate to the Republican national convention and has no desire to figure as a possible Vice Presidential candidate Governor Hastings says he is out of politics and intends devoting his entire time to the care of his large personal interests

William H Colton one of the suspects held for complicity in the plot to murder William Goebel, last Wednesday made to Commonwealth Attorney Franklin and other officials a confession which implicates Secretary of State Caleb Powers Charles Finley H ... Youtsey Jerry Howard, J S Sweeney and others hitherto not brought into the case

York is enjoying one of the greatest building booms it has ever had One firm has given out contracts for 500 new houses, which means an investment of more than $ 01 000

Uncle Ben Spangler of Carlisle ex member of the Legislature who is better known in the State as "Star Spangled Banner Spangler," on account of his unswerving and enthusiastic support of patriotic enactment by the Legislature of several years ago, has announced his candidacy for the next Legislature

The members of the Antietam Battlefield Monument Commission went to Washington last Thursday in a body and presented to President McKinley an invitation to attend the dedication on May 30th of the monument to Maryland Union and Confederate soldiers at Antietam The invitation is in a blue water silk frame with the inside of white satin and bears the coat of arms of Maryland President McKinley General Miles and other prominent persons are expected to be present at the dedication

Professor W G Johnson of the Maryland Agricultural College is spending several days in the peach orchards in the neighborhood of Ingold ... Washington county, where the process of spraying for the extermination of the San Jose scale is going on under his instruction He says that from reports received from growers in the southern part of the county crops were badly damaged by the recent freeze and that but 10 per cent of the buds of the yellow varieties and 25 per cent of the white varieties remain uninjured So far as known other sections of the peach belt did not suffer —Hagerstown ...

The postal carriers of Carroll county Md, undertaken by the director of the rural free delivery is now nearly complete The names of ... patrons of the various routes are in the hands of the authorities

Representative Baker of the 1st Maryland Congressional District has prepared a bill authorizing the construction of a new post office building at Westminster at a cost not to exceed $50 000 There is a scant likelihood of the passage of any bill carrying at least three million dollars to meet the increased price of material to be used in the buildings already authorized

"Safe bind, safe find" Fortify yourself by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now and be sure of good health for months to come

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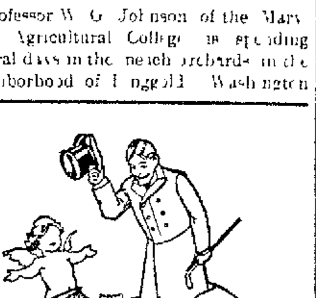
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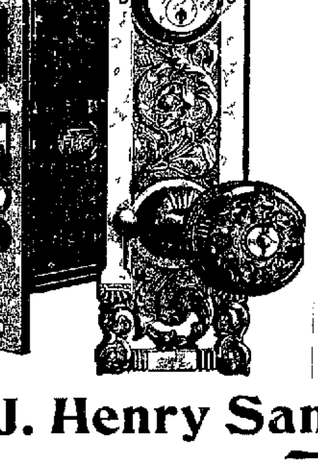
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marks the 15th anniversary of our beginning in Gettysburg Our success and growth are known. We do not intend to give ourselves a framed testimonial, to flatter our selfishness because of it We do, however, feel grateful to the public who have shown their appreciation and their faith in this store to the extent that every year has been a growing year for us.

Last year was much the largest in volume of business we have ever enjoyed, due no doubt in part, to the general prosperity, but also, we flatter ourselves, because we had a better store than ever before

The temptation to us to buy goods in the last six months, to save advances in prices (for our customers) has been such that our present stock is nearly 50 per cent larger than ever before We believe, therefore, that in consequence of established methods,

TRUTH AND HONESTY—

which have won, **with the great stock now on sale,** we will increase our business in the same ratio, Experiences of past mistakes to avoid and up-to-date ideas to put into practice will constantly better this store

WE WANT TO BRING A FEW THINGS INTO PROMINENCE HERE.

These Fine Plain Dress Goods are for those who like to be well gowned in fine ... without having attention drawn to them because of a novelty fabric or pattern

Fine Rich Granite Weaves that are pebbly like our native granite rock and wear as well almost ... the ... handsome shades for spring New steel new tan &c the width 4 ... the price $1 00

Light Mixtures in a Serge Weave called ... durable as the granites named above light grey tinged with blue light ground tinged with green are some of the colors same width as the above two qualities at 75c and $1 00

Brown Grey and Blue color mixtures in **Serge Weave,** called ... by some rich in appearance and serviceable ... at 75c

Plain Granite ... weaves ... more graceful in certain ... price 59c and 65c These are in ... and blues

Satin-faced Venetian or Prunella, ... light navy ... only very ... 75c

Sturdy Home Spuns, for the jacket suit or separate skirt here in both Camels Hair effect and heavy Twills at **50c, 75c and $1 00** Light and medium greys, brown mixtures and tan mixtures

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FRENCH & SCOTCH FLANNELS.

The French Twilled Flannels, the popular thing for waists wear now early spring price 50c—in plain colors Old Rose New Navy Cardinal

French Flannel with Embroidered Dots—Cardinal embroidered in black, Navy in white Grey Blue in black price 95c Printed Blue in small white polkadots 75c

Scotch Flannels—mostly in gingham designs beautiful for Shirt Waists

for early spring and in fact suitable for the cooler change the entire summer ... 37 1-2c Another not quite so heavy because of less wool the appearance similar to a fine Madras ... wide, price 30c

Both these flannels are very desirable for children's dresses for all ages.

The New Silks that we spoke of here some weeks ago have had a sort of double quick move on them since and a few styles are entirely sold out but the choosing is still double and treble that of most stores There is hardly a color that you can not get here in something

The Wash Silks—the kind that never wear out, if soiled wash them and they are like new—can be had here in a better grade or quality for our price than you'll likely find near here because we planned for them (as we told you previously) long before the actual goods had left Japan They are in stripes of blues, pinks, reds, heliotropes, &c—about ten or more patterns, all of them corded, price 50c

Another Linea Little Heavier, in Stripes and Plaids, corded—in all the above colors, with several additional—price 75c

The Printed Indias and Foulards—are 50c and 63c. with us (in dress lengths) and while we have a good assortment now, we will have no more when these are gone as we have determined not to pay the advances

Kai-Kai Silks—strong as a gingham, cooler and prettier, ten or more styles left at 25c. The wholesale value of these goods to day is our selling price

New Black Silks—in Satin Peau de Soies Taffetas, Armures, Brocades &c

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WHEAT INSECTS.

THE WHEAT MIDGE AND THE WHEAT STEM MAGGOT LIFE HISTORY TREATMENT ETC

The following is from Bulletin No 46 Penna Department of Agriculture

The Wheat Midge

This insect is usually known as the "weevil" in Pennsylvania When abundant it is a serious pest, often causing great destruction Fortunately it has not been very abundant in this State during recent years, though scattering reports of its presence in small numbers in 1898 have been received

According to persons engaged in farming during the years between 1850 and 1860, it was then very abundant and caused much loss though no reports of its prevalence in this State have been observed

In New York and Ohio however, it was a very serious factor for wheat growers for several years In 1854 the Secretary of the State Agricultural Society of New York gathered data from all parts of the state from which he estimated the loss that year from the ravages of this insect, at about fifteen millions of dollars, and if the price to which wheat afterwards rose that winter had been taken into consideration, the loss would have been at least one third greater

During 1856 and 1857 this insect extended its operations over a larger part of the State and the loss in 1857 was considerably more than fifteen millions of dollars In Canada the same year it destroyed about eight millions of bushels In 1856, in Livingston county, New York, two thousand acres on flats which would have yielded thirty bushels an acre, were not harvested at all

Ohio was also invaded during these years, and the loss there was estimated at being even greater than in New York

With these facts, showing the enormous loss which may be incurred if this insect at any time becomes abundant it is important that its appearance be watched for and appropriate treatment be adopted to check its further increase and spread

LIFE HISTORY

The adult wheat midge or weevil is a small fly, closely related to the Hessian fly and somewhat resembling it, except that the wings are not dark It appears about the time the wheat blossoms develop in the spring and in these it lays its eggs The eggs hatch in a short time producing minute maggots, at first colorless, but later becoming orange These maggots lie between the wheat grains and the surrounding chaff and suck the juices, causing the grains to shrivel up After about three weeks they leave the head and pass into the ground where they brown and become quiet In this condition they pass the winter and after some internal changes appear the following spring

Some of the maggots fail to leave the heads of wheat and are carried with these to the stack, thus infecting the places where the winnowings gather at threshing time As such individuals can become adult flies, even though they have not been in the ground during the winter, this must be remembered when methods of treatment are being considered

ORIGIN AND DISTRIBUTION

Like the Hessian fly the wheat midge is a native of Europe It appeared in this country about 1820 being first noticed in Vermont, whence it spread in all directions

INSECT ENEMIES

These are apparently of little effect, and where the midge is abundant the wheat grower must depend on his efforts to control the pest

TREATMENT

In the life history of the insect the full grown maggot passes into the ground to pupate, just before, or about the time of harvesting At this time then, part will be found in the ground and part in the harvested grain To destroy those in the ground it is advisable to plow deep, soon after the grain is cut, thus carrying those in the ground so deep that they will either be crushed or at least be unable to reach the surface the following spring Those which remain in the grain usually gather with the chaff and "tailings" from the threshing machine, and if this refuse be carefully swept up and burned, not only will a larger proportion of the midges be destroyed, but also the seeds of many undesirable weeds Although this will not save the crop attacked, by the application of these methods, the following crop will probably be protected from the ravages of this insect to a considerable degree

The Wheat Stem Maggot

The wheat stem maggot was known from Pennsylvania as early as 1851 at which time it was reported from Bucks county In habits and appearance it sufficiently resembles the Hessian fly to mislead those who do not examine it closely, and in consequence, much of the injury it causes is supposed to be produced by the fly From specimens received it is probable that the wheat-stem maggot is present every year in this state and is the cause of considerable loss to the wheat crop

LIFE HISTORY

This insect feeds not only on wheat, but also on various grasses, barley and oats The adult fly appears in the wheat fields in September and deposits its egg on the young wheat plants The little maggots which soon hatch from these eggs pass down the plant to a joint just above the bulb, where they remain, sucking the juices from the stem, which is short as yet, and causing it to become discolored and then die This process is usually completed by the time the winter sets in and the maggots pass the winter in this place In the spring after pupating, the adult flies appear and lay their eggs for the next brood

The maggots which hatch from these eggs pass to the upper joint in the wheat stalk, just above which they lie, between it and the leaf sheath, and suck the juices there The effect of this is to cause that part of the stem to wither and dry up The effect on the head is similar Describing some heads thus injured, Prof Lintner writes "The heads were entirely destitute of kernels Within some of the husks the remains of the blossoms were discovered, showing that their development had been arrested before the formation of the grain Upon removing the investing sheath, the stem was found to be discolored and shrunken and quite dry for three or four inches above the joint, and near the joint it was so eaten and shriveled as to be utterly useless for the purpose of carrying the sap" From the maggots of the spring brood which thus destroy the heads, the adult flies appear about harvesting time and lay their eggs on grass and volunteer wheat The brood thus produced completes its life history by the appearance of the flies from it in September to lay their eggs on the new winter wheat as already described. Thus, there are three broods each year—one appearing in September one in the spring, and one in July Of these, the first two chiefly attack wheat while the third lives on grasses and such wheat as it may find during midsummer

EFFECT ON WHEAT

The injury to wheat, caused by the fall brood, is perceptible only on the short central stems of the little plants, which would otherwise form the main stalks the following spring In plants where the wheat stem maggot is present, these stems become discolored and dead

The injury caused by the spring brood is more noticeable Some little time before the wheat should be ripe, the heads and upper portions of the stem turn white—a condition sometimes described as the "Silver top of Wheat" Such heads are quite noticeable when the insect is abundant, and examination of affected stems will show that just above the upper joint of the stem is shrunken or even severed and the little greenish maggot which caused the trouble will sometimes be found there

ORIGIN AND DISTRIBUTION

This insect is probably a native of America and is known from Canada to Texas, and westward probably to the Rocky Mountains Its distribution appears to be quite general

ENEMIES

Only two enemies of this insect have thus far been reported One—a little parasite having no common name—has been found to be present in a considerable abundance in some parts of the country The other is a very small mite which infests the maggots Both of these are decidedly beneficial but the very fact that despite them, the wheat stem maggot often causes considerable destruction, shows that its checks to the increase of this insect they are insufficient

METHODS OF TREATMENT

Treatment for this insect is unsatisfactory at best Living as it does in the straw at the upper part of the stalk it is not left in the stubble to be plowed under nor does it usually go to the stack with the straw but leaves it before harvesting

The point in the life history at which the wheat stem maggot can most successfully be attacked is the summer brood Feeding as it does, on volunteer wheat and grasses, it would probably do much good if strips of decoy wheat were planted immediately after harvest, so that the summer brood could develop there Then early in August destroy this wheat and also all volunteer wheat Late planting as recommended for the Hessian fly, might also be of some use but as the adult flies have been found in October, this method would be only partially successful at best

Hand picking of the noticeable "silver tops," cutting them off below the upper joints and burning them would certainly be of value but is of rather doubtful utility in practice

Certain varieties of wheat are less often attacked by the insect than others and where the maggot is very abundant it would be wise to bear this in mind for subsequent seedings

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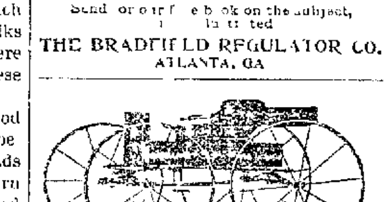
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It is no exaggeration to say that the use of money is a test of character and a revelation of a man's nature," writes Ian Maclaren of "The Genteel Tramps in Our churches" in the April *Ladies' Home Journal* "There are men who lose money by their foolishness—Wastrels, there are men who spend it on their vices—Prodigals, there are men who hoard it with jealousy—Misers, there are men who lay it out in well doing—they are the Wise Men When I say well doing I am not thinking of that unreasoning and indiscriminate charity which, whether it take the form of alms to a lazy vagabond or a large benefaction for the creation of paupers, is a curse and not a blessing, a sin and not a duty We are not to read in a mechanical fashion the advice of our Lord to the young ruler to sell his possessions and give to the poor, for though that might have been the only pledge of sincerity he could give in that, it would be a great calamity in our day Whatever may have been the case in ancient times, there can be no question that in our day the man who establishes a manufactory in a small town and pays fair wages does ten times more good than he who would use his wealth to found an almshouse"

TALK OF OTIS' LOSSES

War Department officials deny recently published statements that General Otis' campaign is costing upwards of 1,000 men every month

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More details are contained in the report of Colonel Woodhull, Chief Surgeon of the Philippine army His report, however, does not extend beyond the end of the last calendar year It shows that from the time American troops landed in Manila up to December 1, 1899, the total amount of deaths were 58 officers and 1 263 men Of this number 42 officers and 570 men died by violence, and 16 officers and 693 men died of disease Most of the deaths by violence occurred in battle There were however, 137 deaths from violence outside of actual hostilities It is a singular fact that more than one half of the latter class of deaths were caused by drowning The total number of wounded without fatal results during the period covered by the report was 1,757

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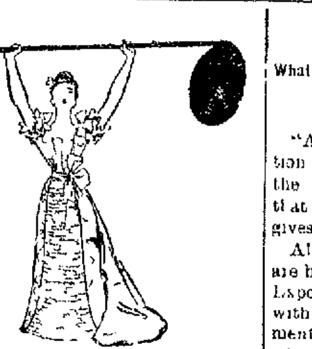
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"Are you going to the Paris Exposition?" asked Margaret E Caldwell in the April *St Nicholas* and assuming that you are and that you are a girl she gives you some useful hints

All over the land, she says young girls are beginning to plan a trip to the Paris Exposition By means of tourists' clubs with their low rates and monthly payments, many girls of small means, girls who earn their own living, will be able to go To these and especially to such of them as have traveled a little a few suggestions may prove helpful

Do your looking up and reading now while you are at home and have the time But if not used to solid reading, do not plunge boldly into a French history that goes back beyond the days of Charlemagne and then feel sad and discouraged when you discover that you cannot remember the dates and names

Read the story books of travel But read them intelligently When you see in one something about poor Marie Louise, whose history was one of life's riddles, if you do not know why her history was one of life's riddles look it up Find out all that you can about her strange career

When you read something about Marie Antoinette's [illegible] and the trouble that it caused, if you [illegible] feel interested to know what the trouble was and why [illegible] Then, about Antoinette herself You will find it enough with [illegible] to make your visit to the Tuileries a double pleasure because you can, in fancy, people it as you walk with the gay throng who once made history there

Unless you know the story of the people who made the history of these places you are seeing only wood and stone You are missing the breath of the vital breathing past, the life Every girl who is clear [illegible] settled in her mind any facts of French history who knows anything about the intimate story of France's famous people, or about the places where the history was made [illegible] with and that her knowledge has added wonderfully to her enjoyment of the trip

And now for another suggestion Cultivate the habit of observation If you are weak in this begin to-day to develop your powers Many persons came back from the World's Fair at Chicago with their minds all a confused [illegible] Ask them what they saw and they will invariably reply "Oh, I saw so much that I really can't remember any one thing" The objects that they saw made on their brains no more lasting impression than on the retina of their eyes They knew that they had a lovely time, and often were dreadfully tired and that their hotel was bad and apparently that was as nearly all they did know No. being used to observing they were so much that they were not able to assimilate anything Many people go through picture galleries in the same blind way They see so many pictures that not one impresses them sufficiently to take its place on memory's wall Make up your mind that you will notice Make up your mind that you will remember the best of what you see

The girl who goes to the Paris Exposition leaving none behind to whom she is a benefactor [illegible] Surely each of you has some one to whom you wish to write to whom you wish to describe your trip so well that it will be her trip too If you have such a friend and if you think of her when you see anything that especially interests you and if you say, "Now I will tell her about this —she will enjoy it" you have found the best method of cultivating the memory

WHY HE WINKED

Had a Reason Far Different from the Clerk's Supposition

The well groomed, middle aged man with the plug hat walked into a down town drug store on Saturday afternoon last says the *Buffalo Express* and winked first the right eye and then the left [illegible] at the clerk [illegible] showcase smiled wisely

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"But I," the plug hatted man started to say, still winking his left eye furiously

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"But isn't it queer that—"

"Yes, it's darned queer an, of course but this is a pretty blue Jewish sort of a burg you understand and a man can't even get a shave here on Sunday no matter whether he's got a hobo's growth of beard on his face or not I'd like to sell you a good big booter—some one you were out with the bunch last night and need a good eye opener in your business —but I wouldn't dare to take a chance and give it to you The boss and —"

The well groomed man still winking and blinking his left eye as if he were doing it for wages cut in right there with emphasis

"Look here," said he "are you wound up for 25 hours or what the dickens ails you? There's a lump of gravel in my left eye, and I came here to see if I couldn't get some conversationless clerk to blow or drown it out for me"

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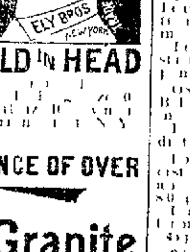
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[illegible] Carlisle for Harrisburg [illegible] stopping at Second [illegible] daily between Harrisburg [illegible]

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BALT MORE & HARRISBURG DIVISION

EASTWARD

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WESTWARD

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Williamsport			8 20

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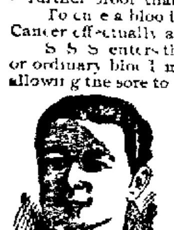
Cancer runs in families through many generations and those whose ancestors have been afflicted with it are liable at any time to be stricken with the deadly malady

Only Blood Diseases can be Transmitted from One Generation to Another

—further proof that Cancer is a disease of the blood

To cure a blood disease like this you must cure the entire blood system—remove every trace of the poison Nothing cures Cancer effectually and permanently but S S S

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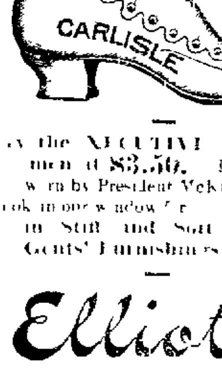
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